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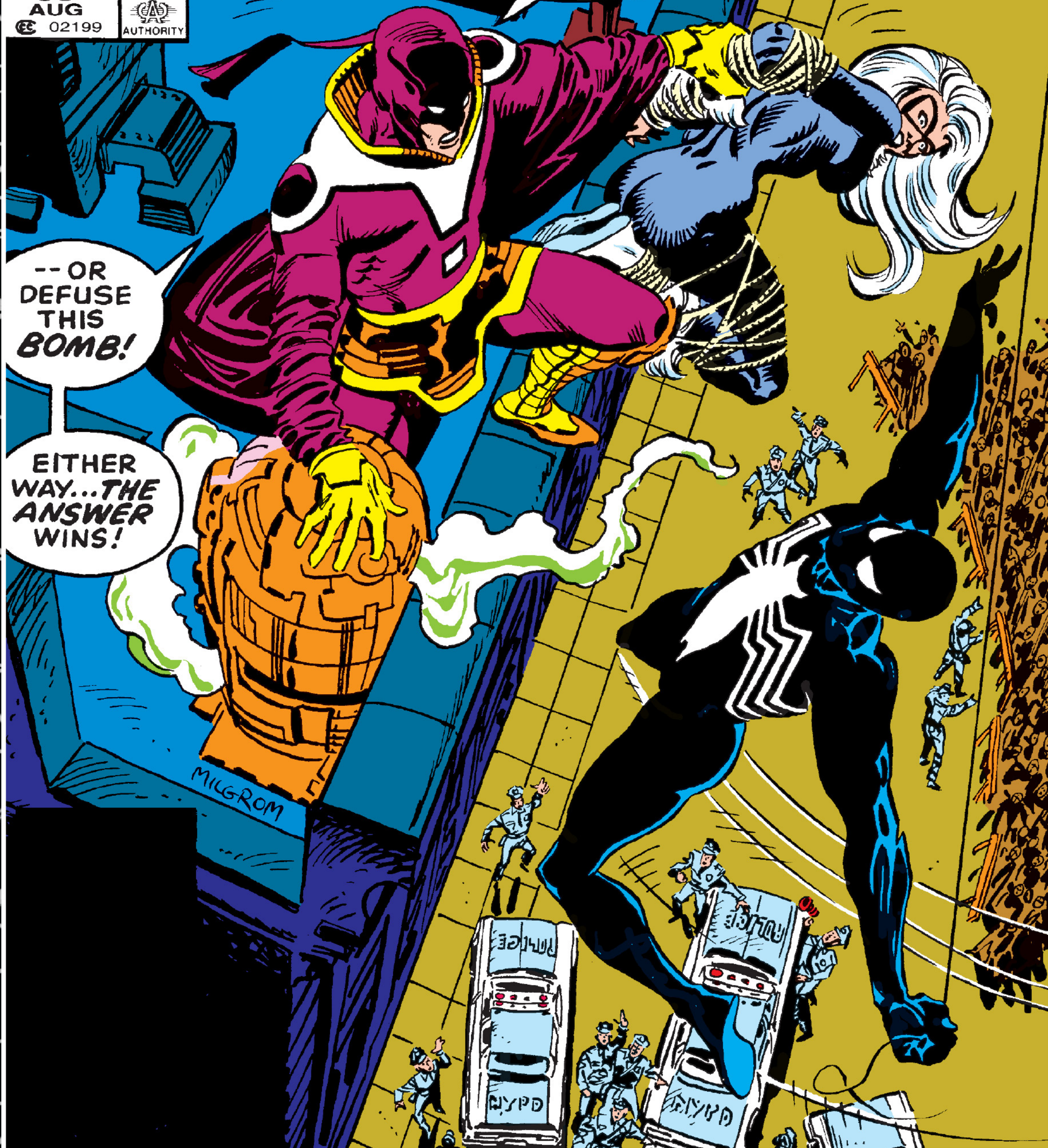
PETER PARKER, THE SPECTACULAR SPIDER-MAN™

IT'S YOUR
CHOICE, SPIDER-
MAN! SAVE THE
BLACK CAT--

-- OR
DEFUSE
THIS
BOMB!

EITHER
WAY...THE
ANSWER
WINS!

MILGROM



A HOT TIME IN THE OLD MORGUE TONIGHT!



Stan Lee PRESENTS:
A MILGROM / MOONEY / ALBERS / SHAREN / FINGEROTH / SHOOTER
PRODUCTION



GOOD QUESTIONS!
AND I AM...

THE
ANSWER!



AWRIGHT, FLY BOY--
NO ONE KICKS ME AND
GETS AWAY WITH IT!

YEH! CUT
'IM, JIM!



I'M LOOKING FOR
YOUR BOSS!

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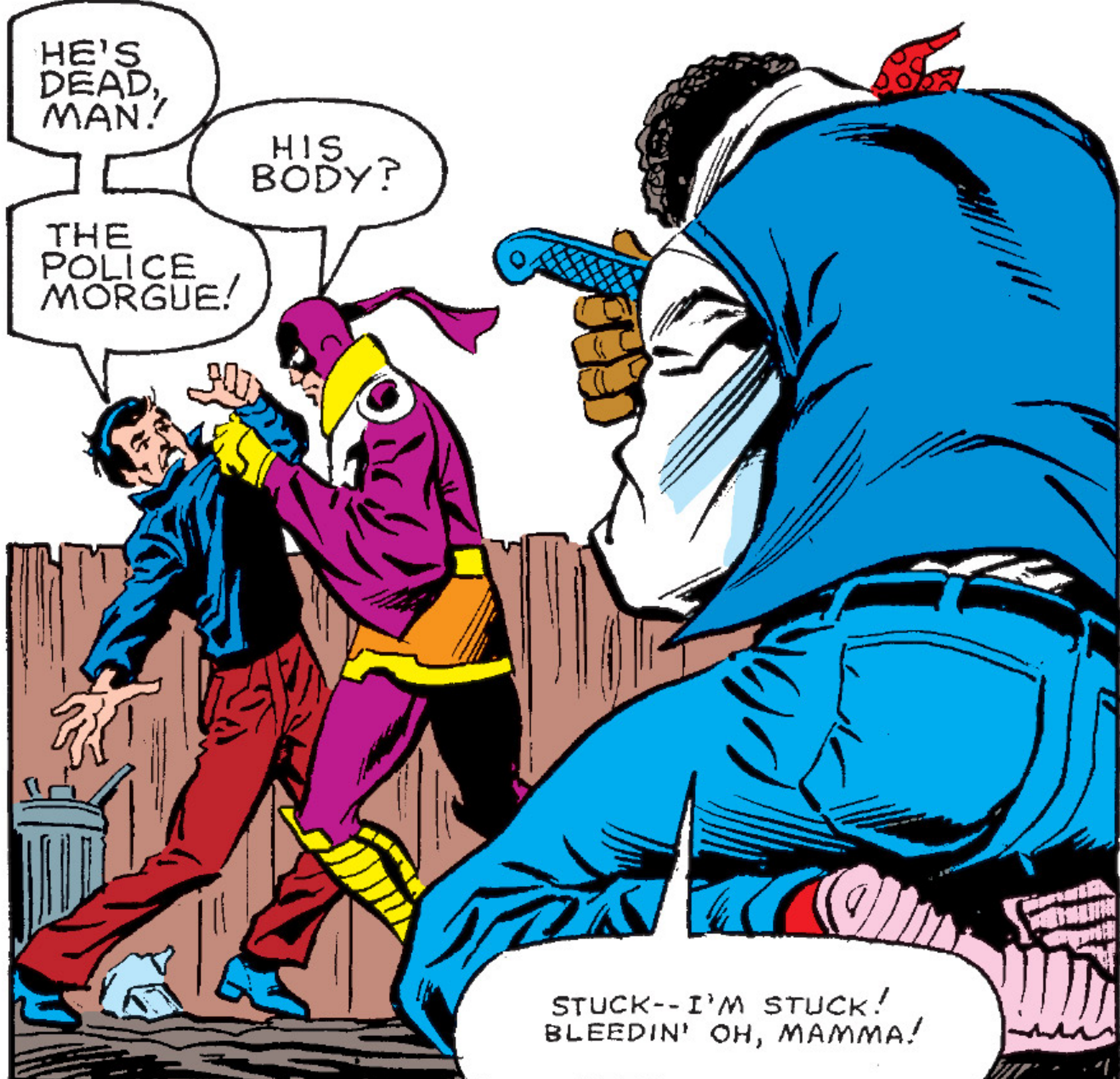
K-CHAK!



WHERE
IS HE?

ARRRR! I'M STUCK,
MAN! HE STUCK ME!!

WHERE
IS HE?

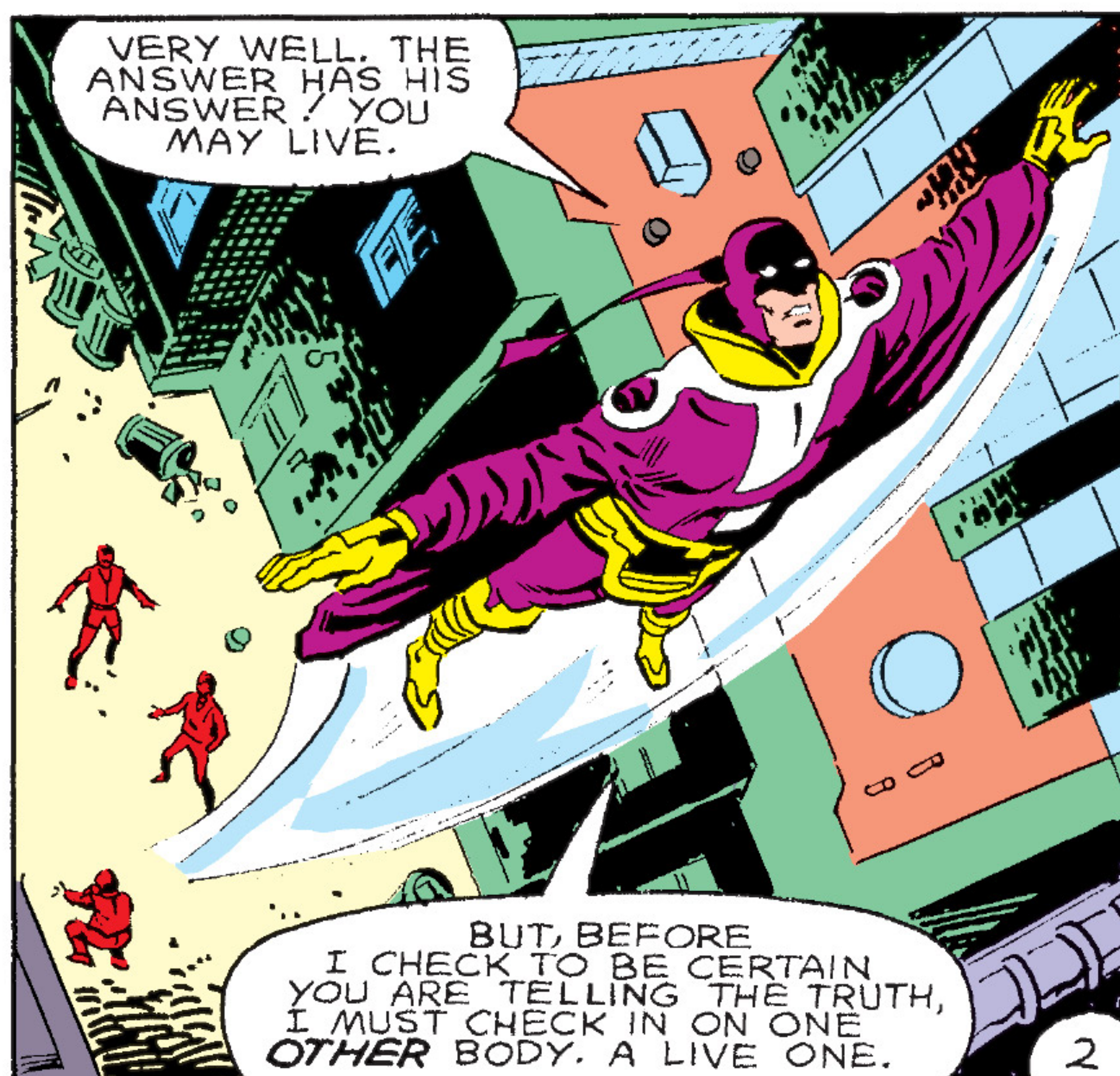


HE'S
DEAD,
MAN!

HIS
BODY?

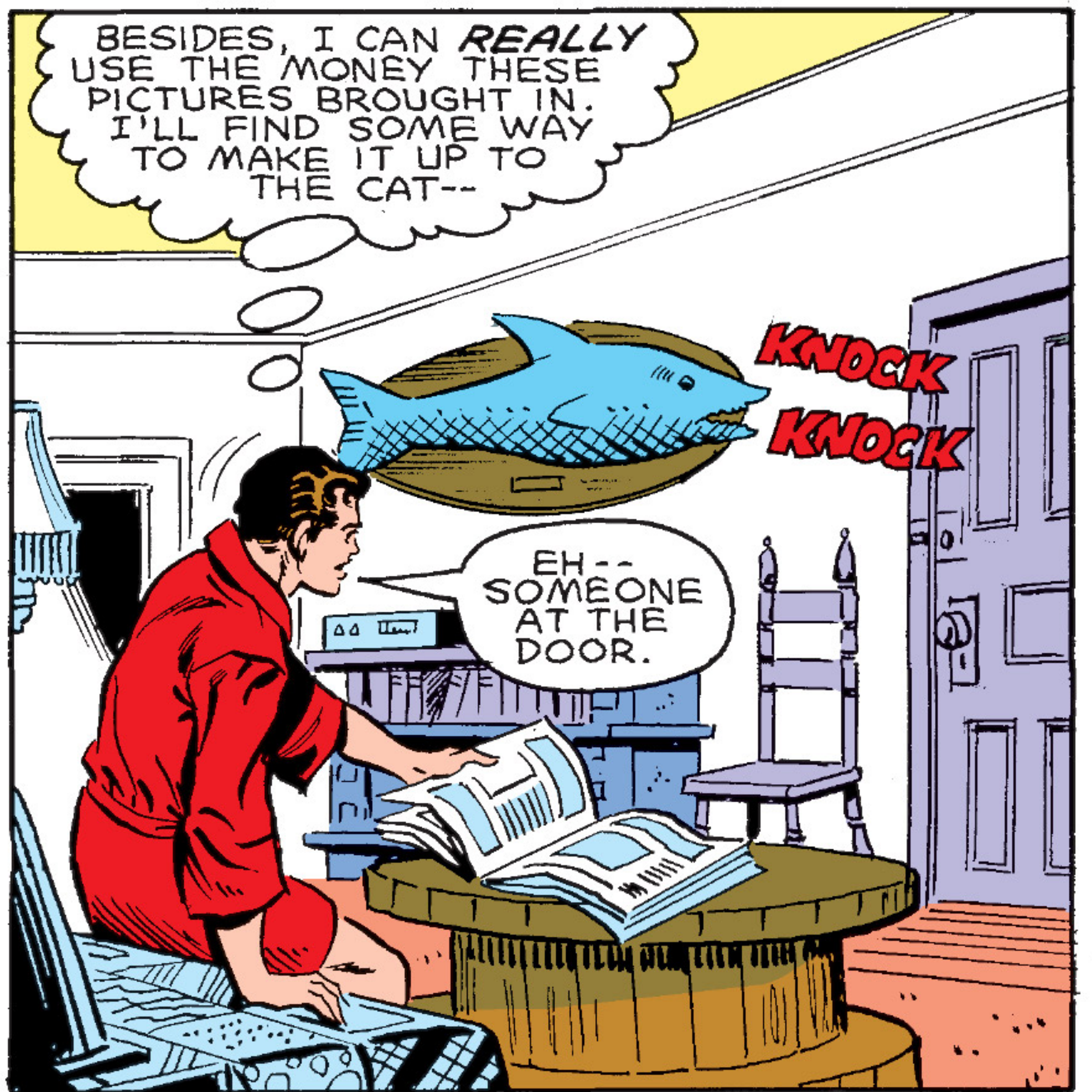
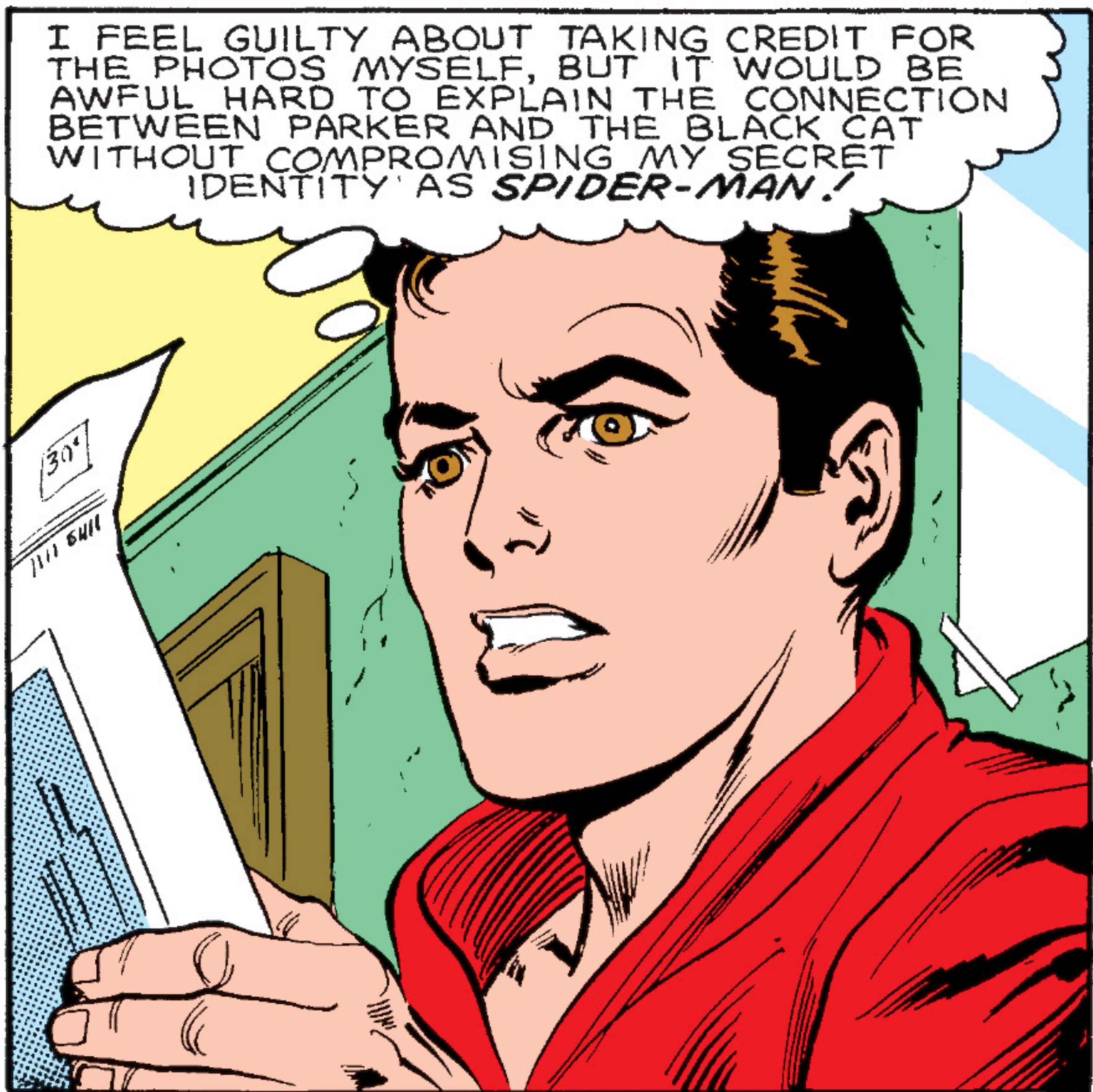
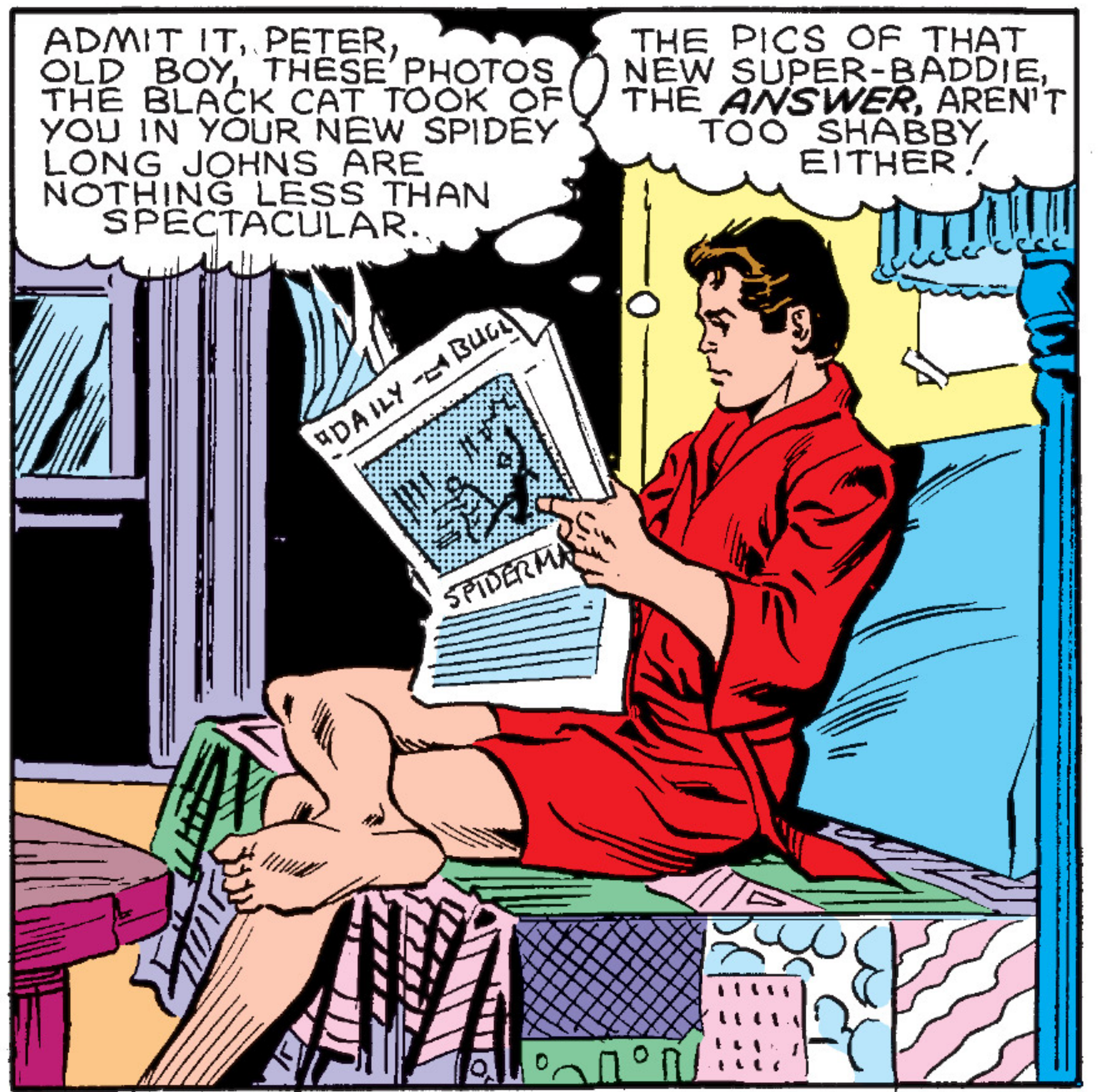
THE
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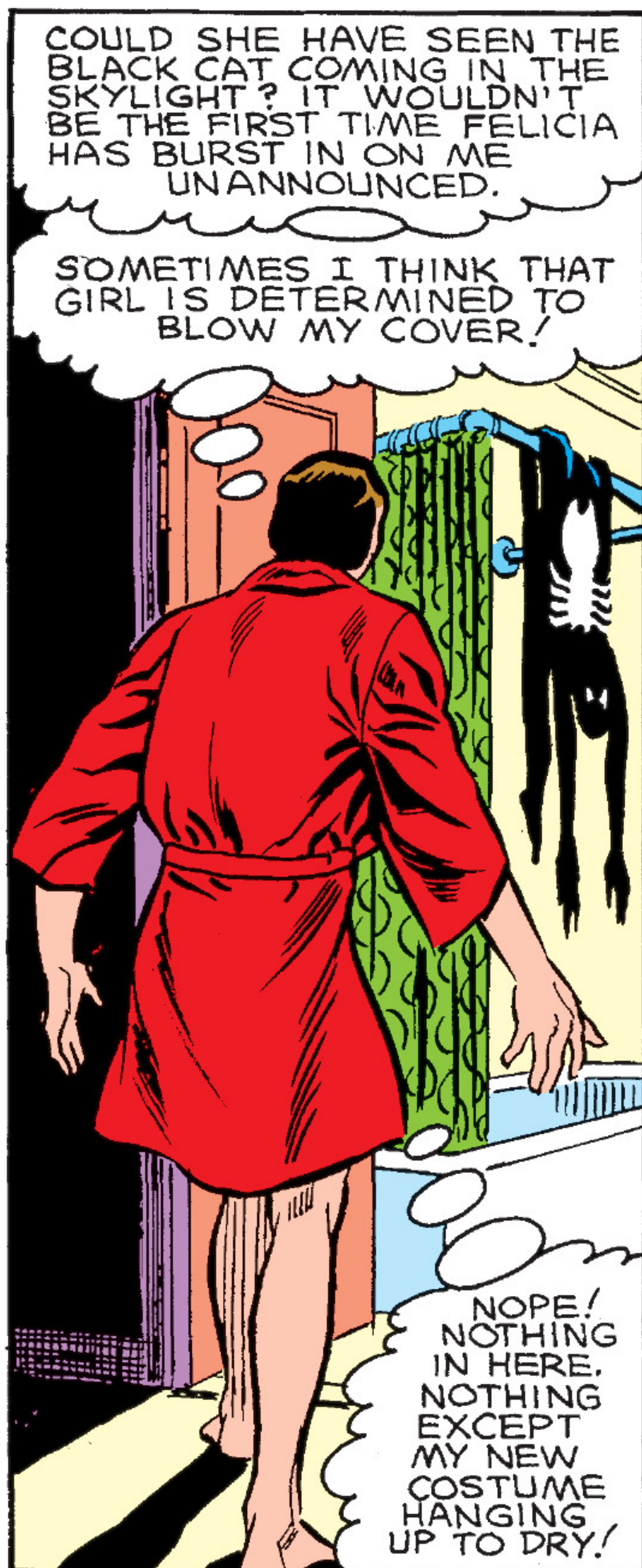
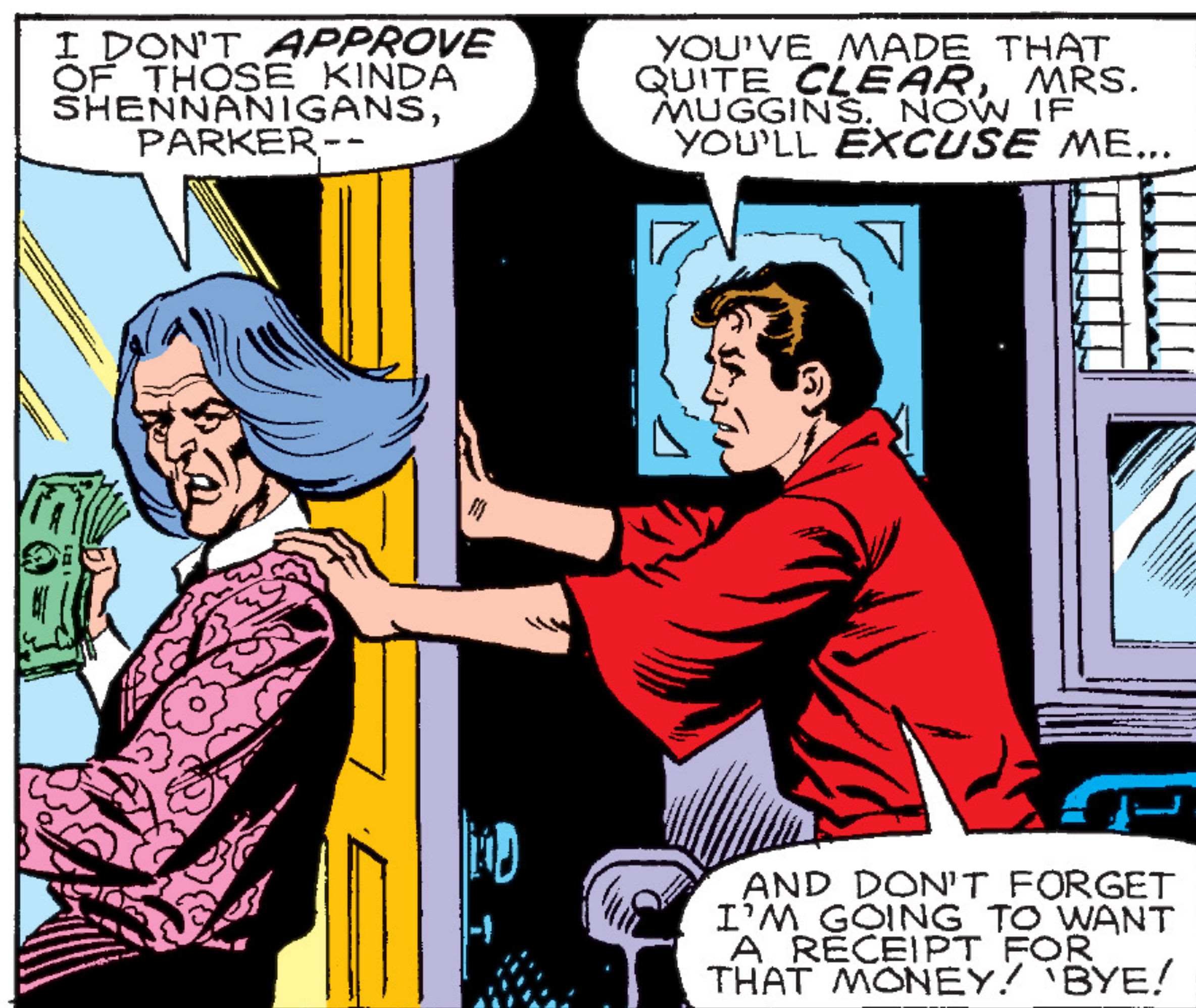
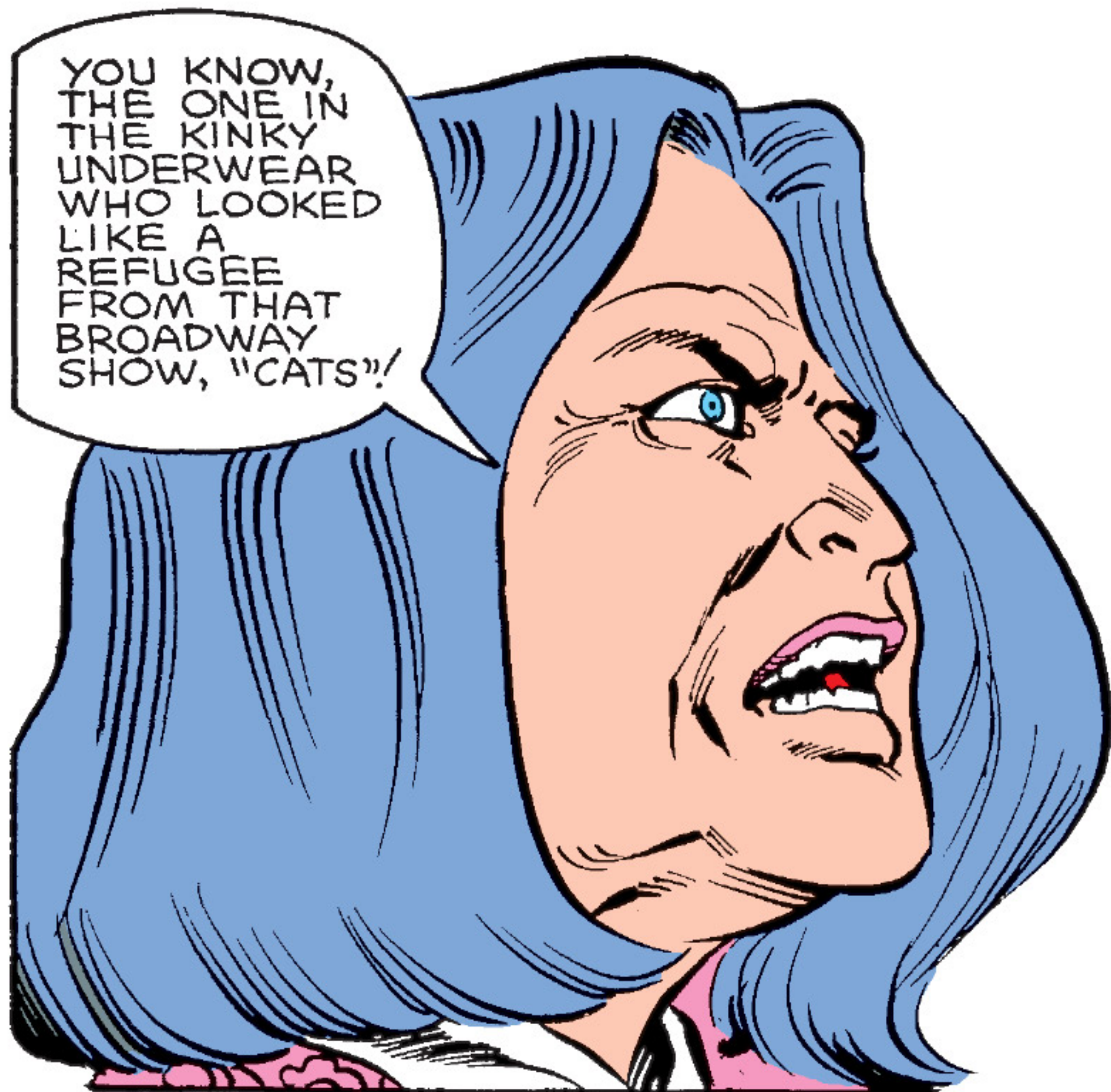
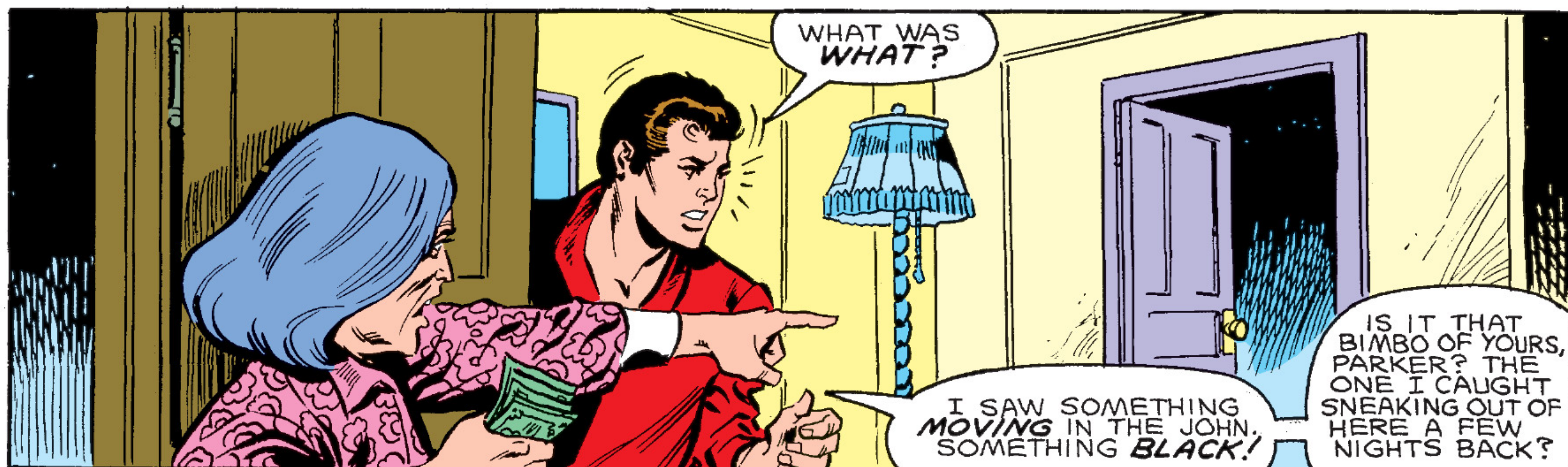
STUCK-- I'M STUCK!
BLEEDIN' OH, MAMMA!



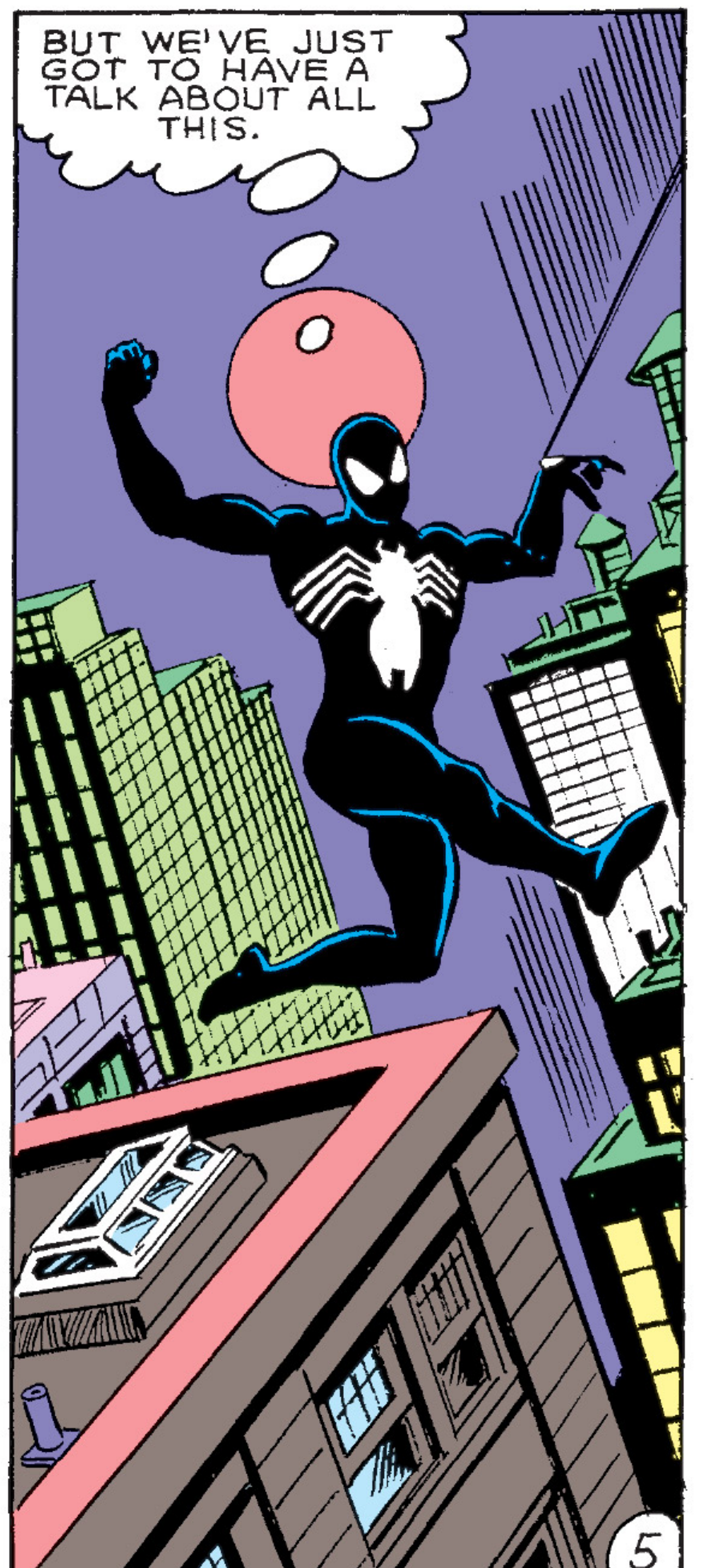
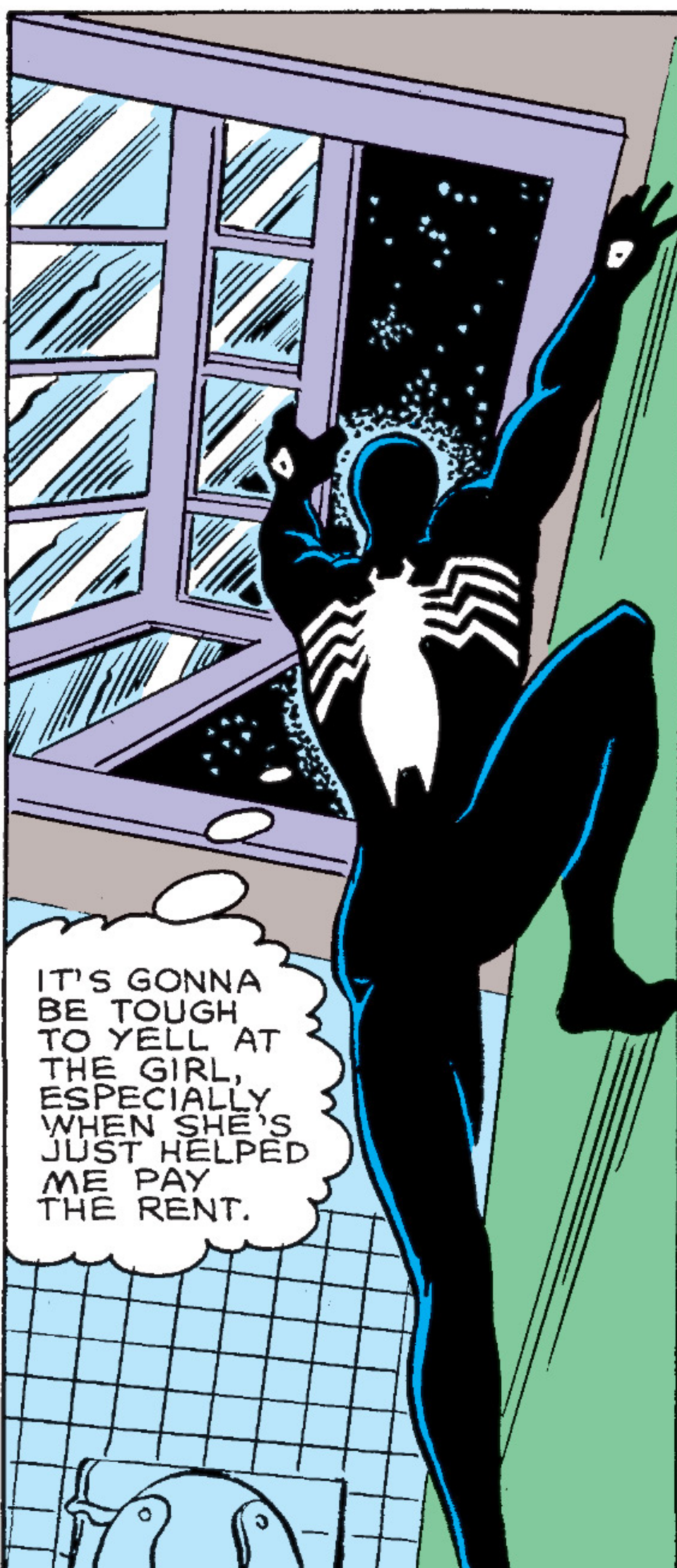
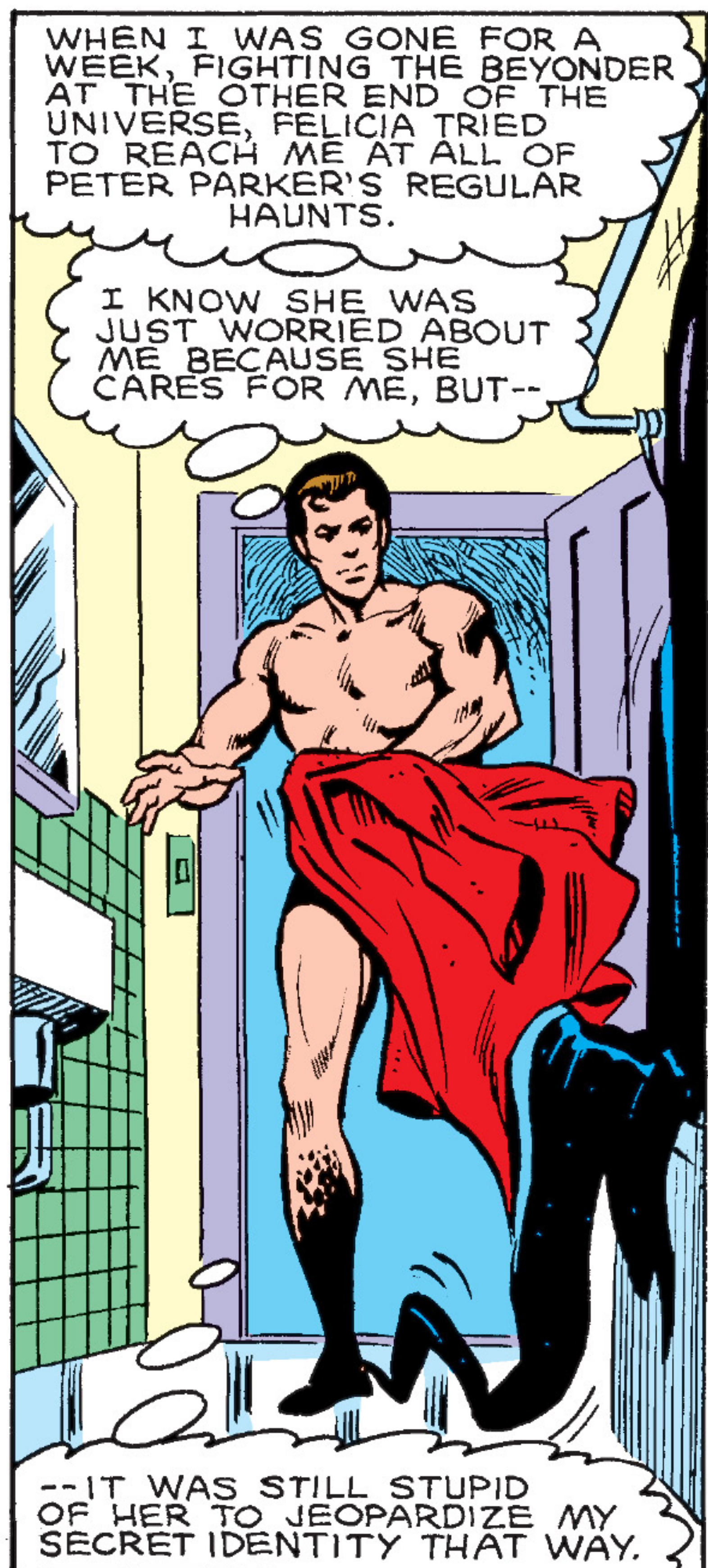
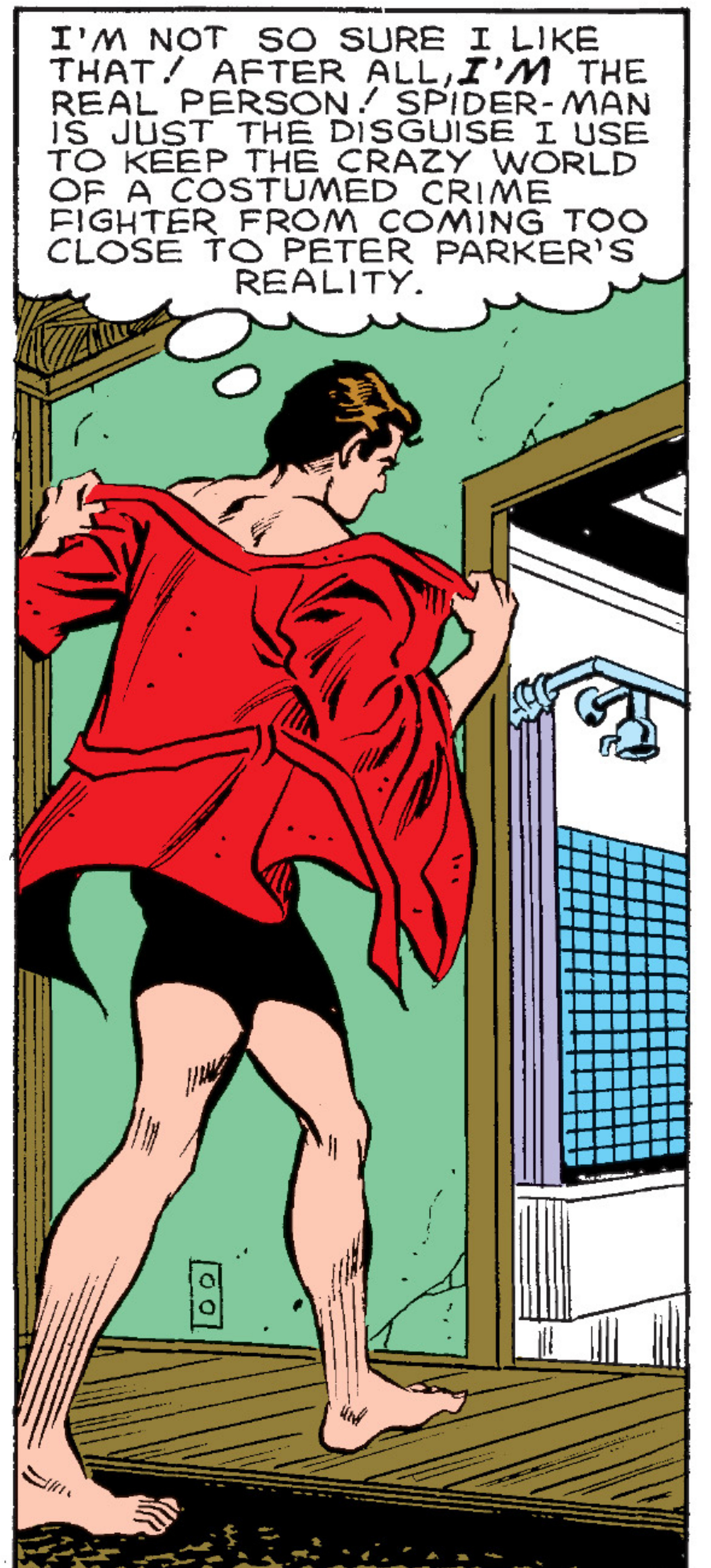
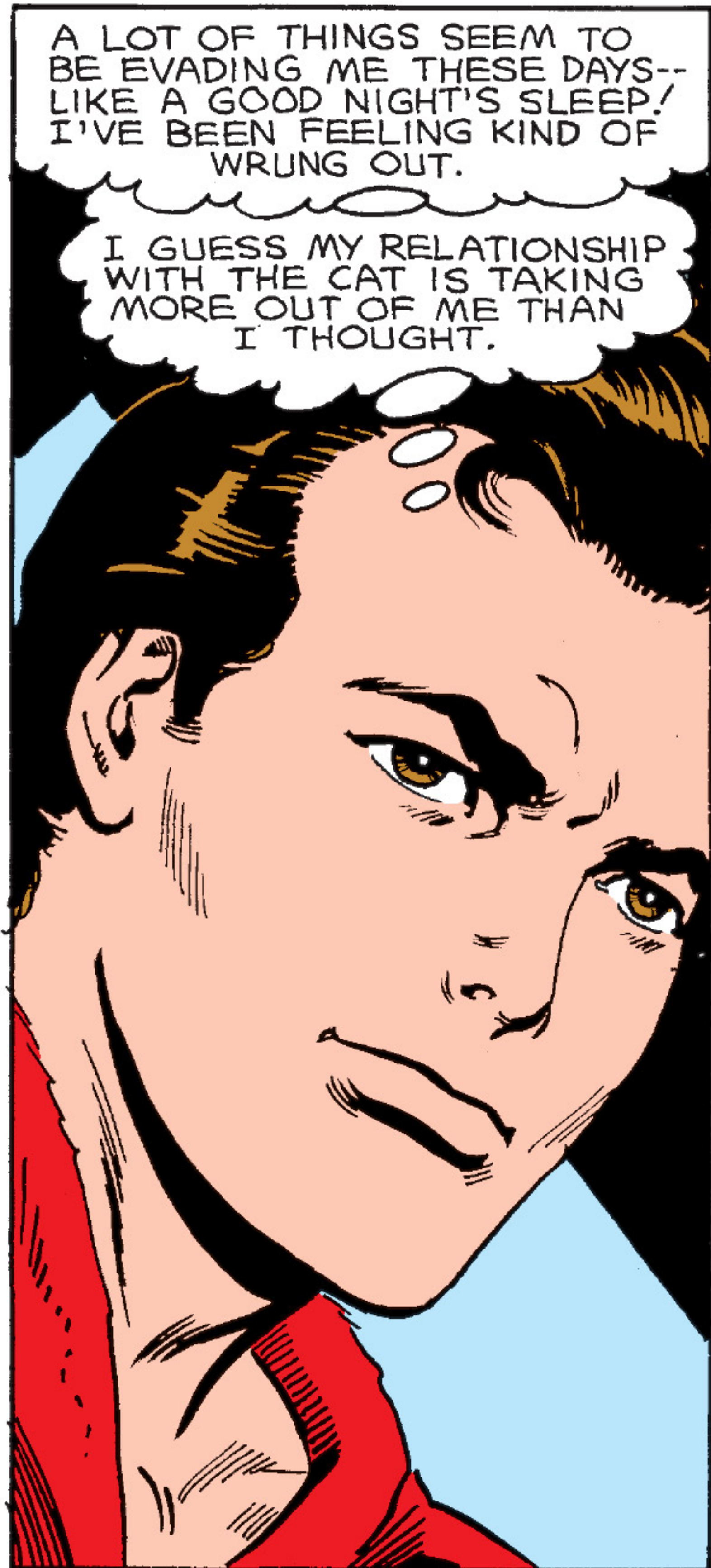
VERY WELL. THE
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ANSWER! YOU
MAY LIVE.

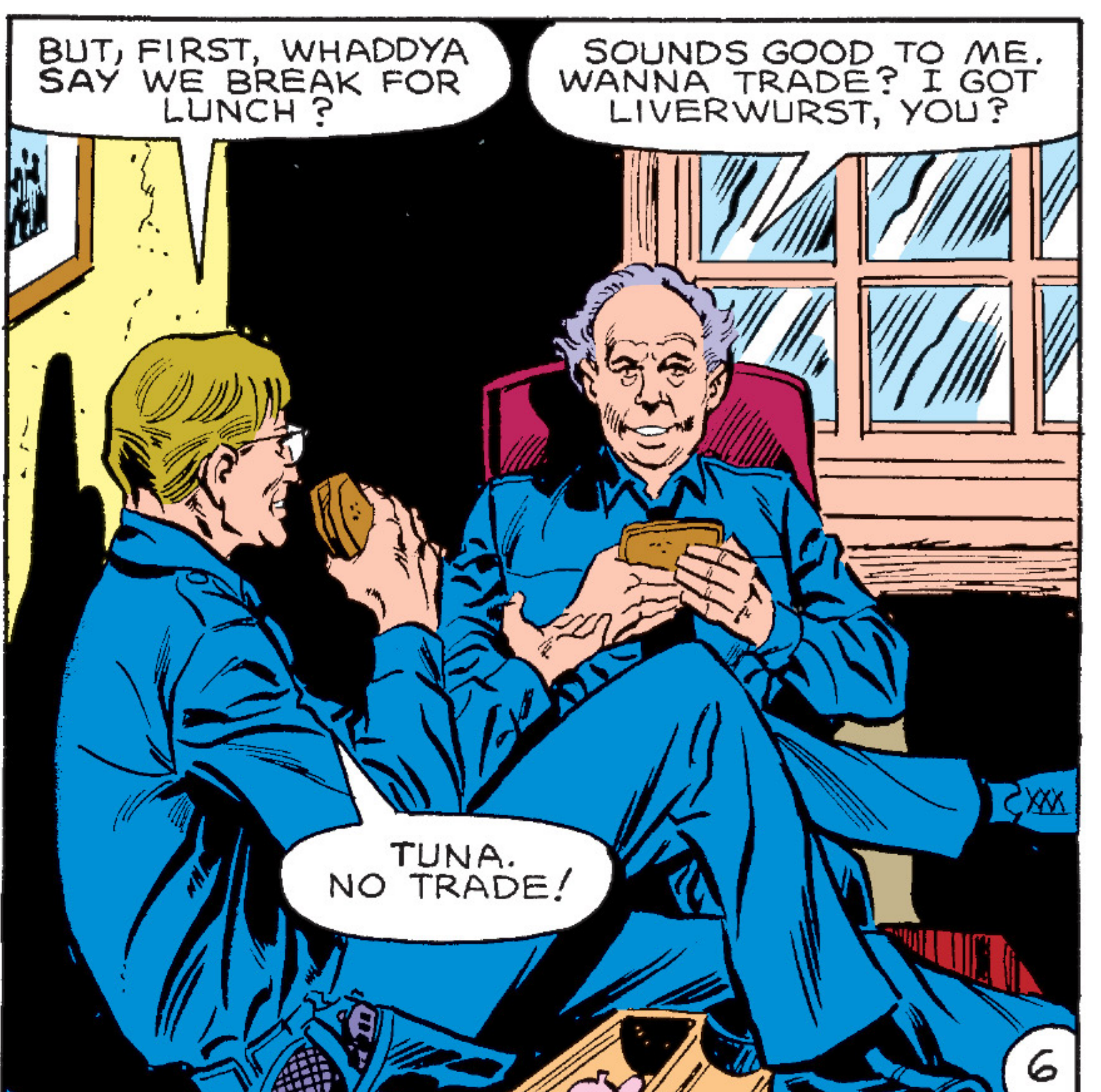
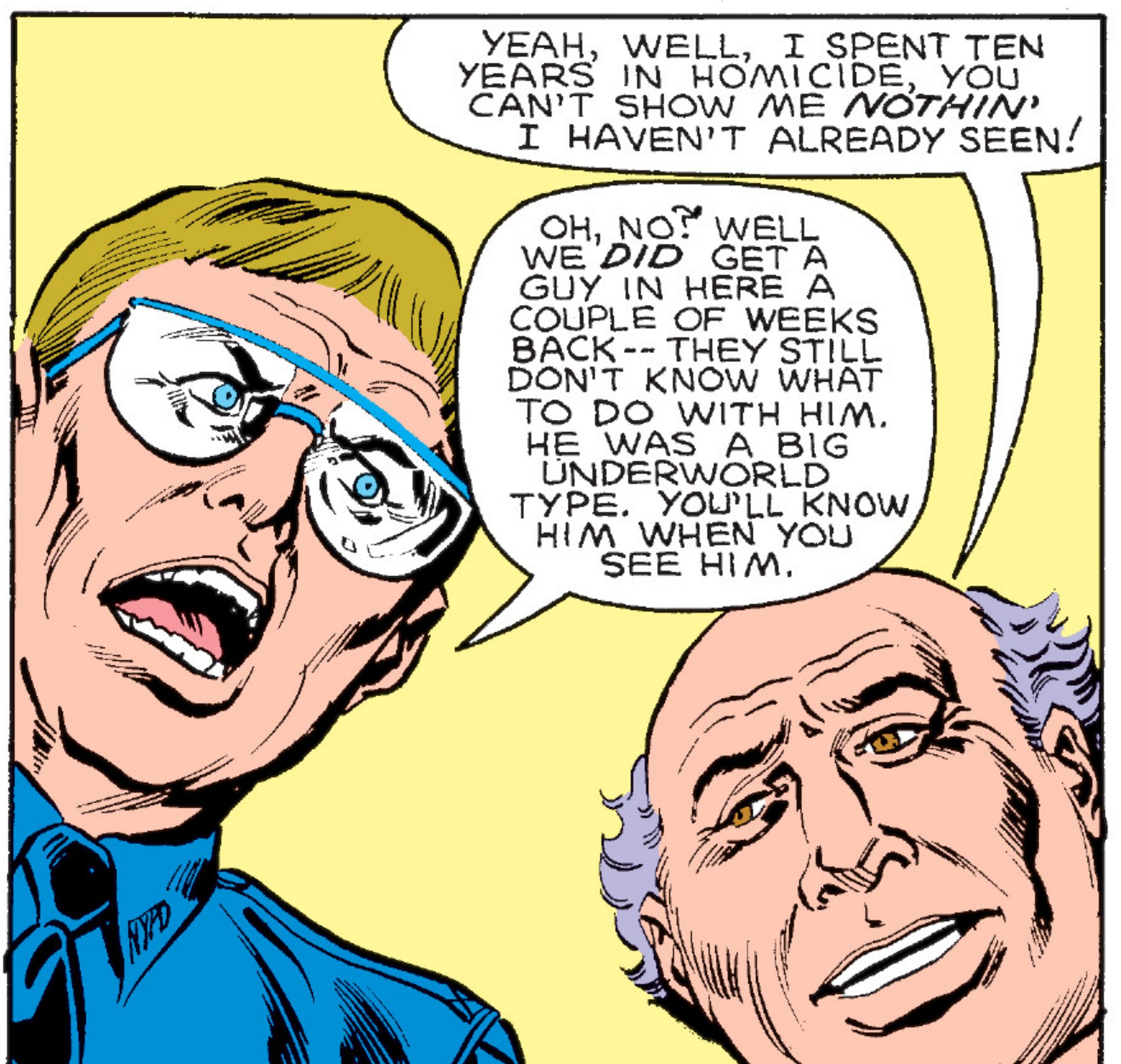
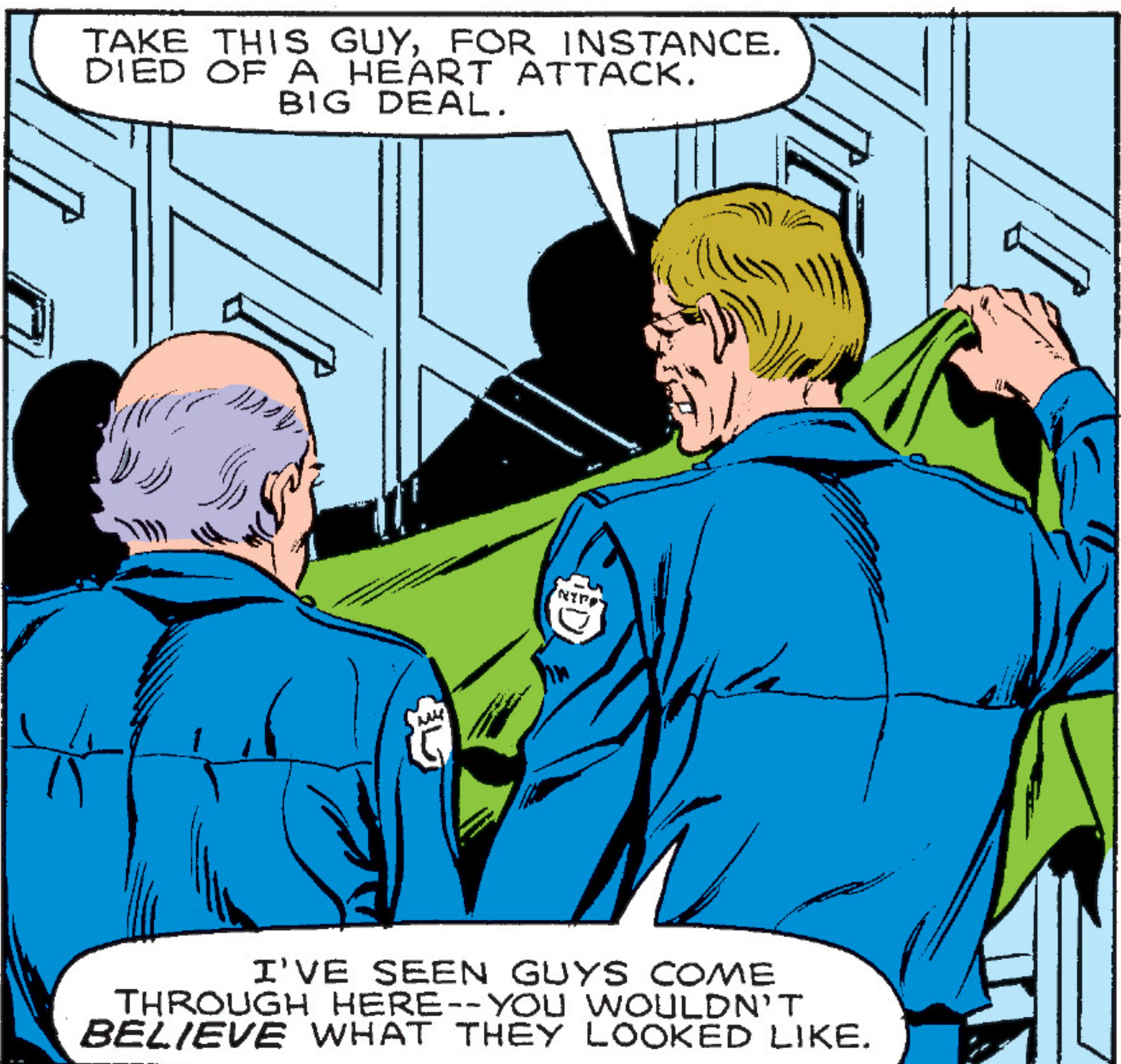
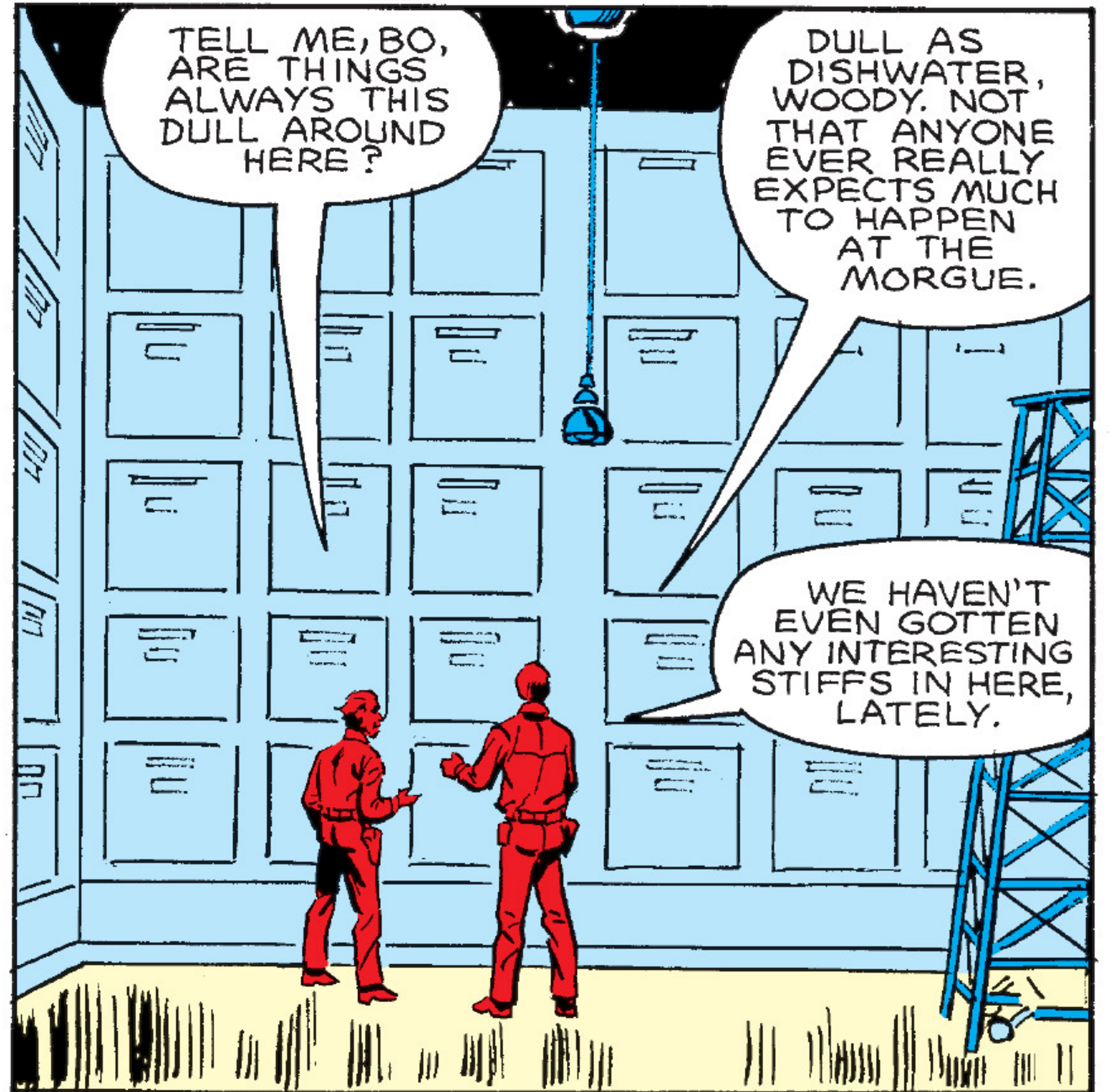
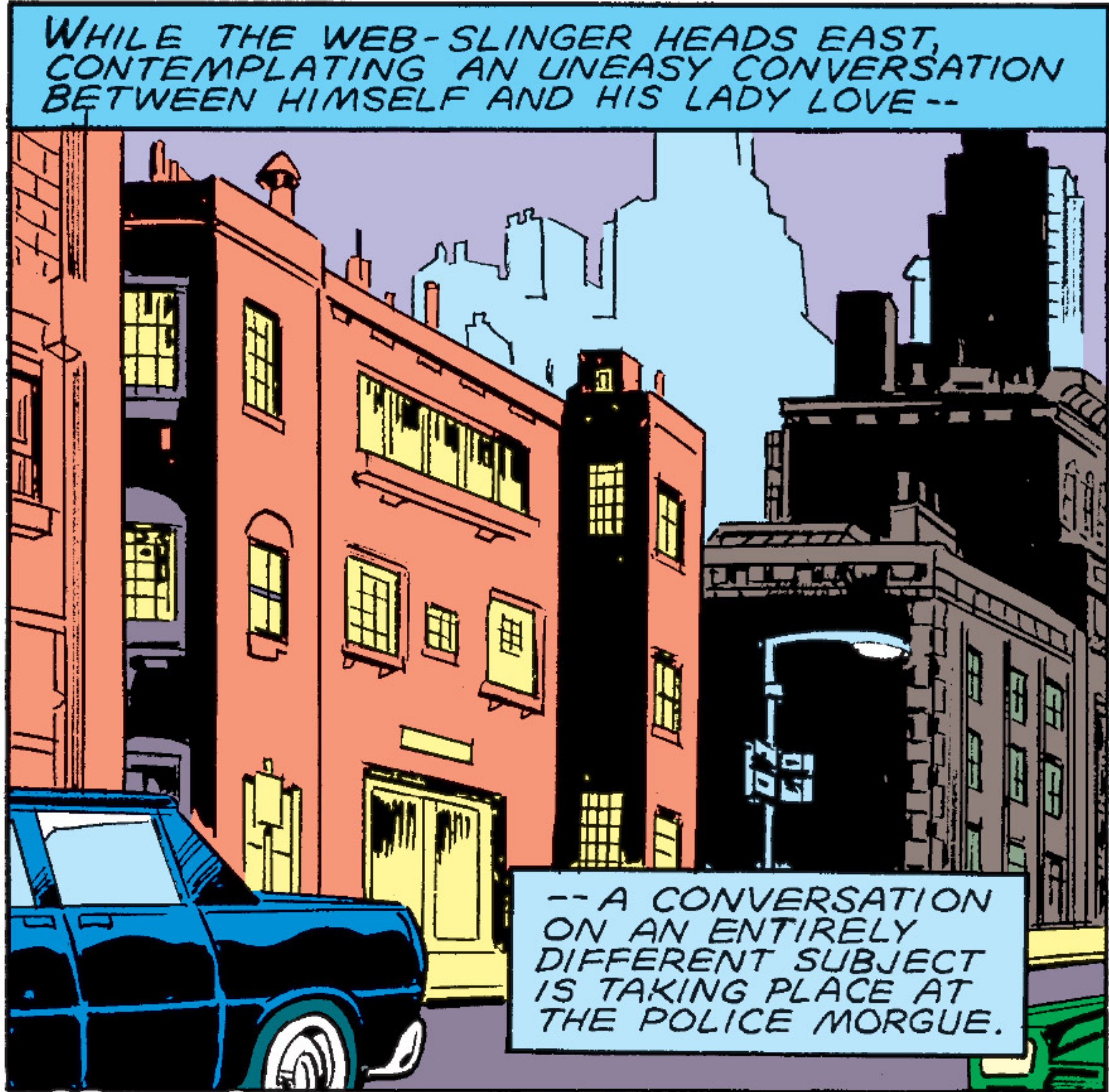
BUT, BEFORE
I CHECK TO BE CERTAIN
YOU ARE TELLING THE TRUTH,
I MUST CHECK IN ON ONE
OTHER BODY. A LIVE ONE.

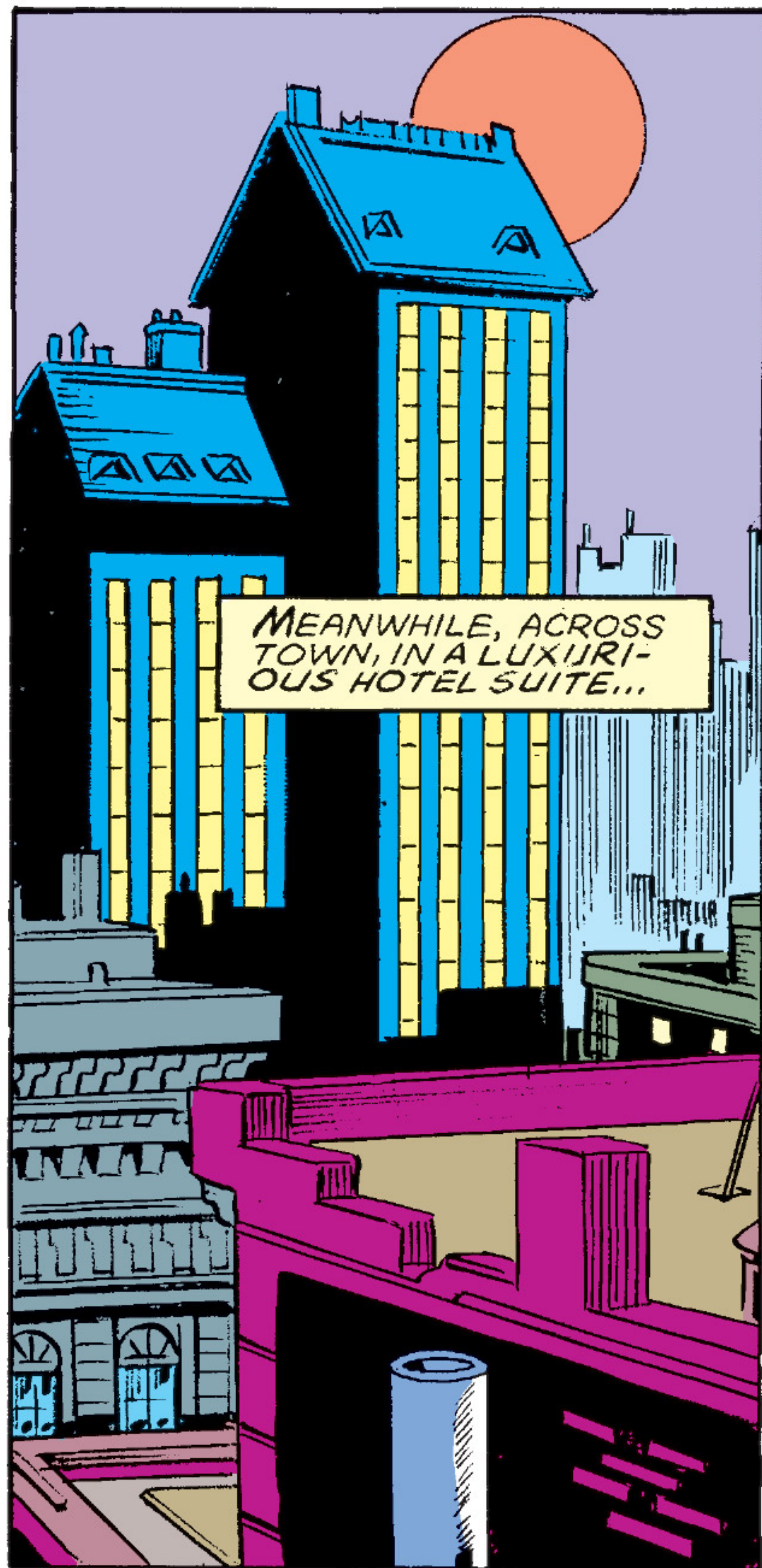




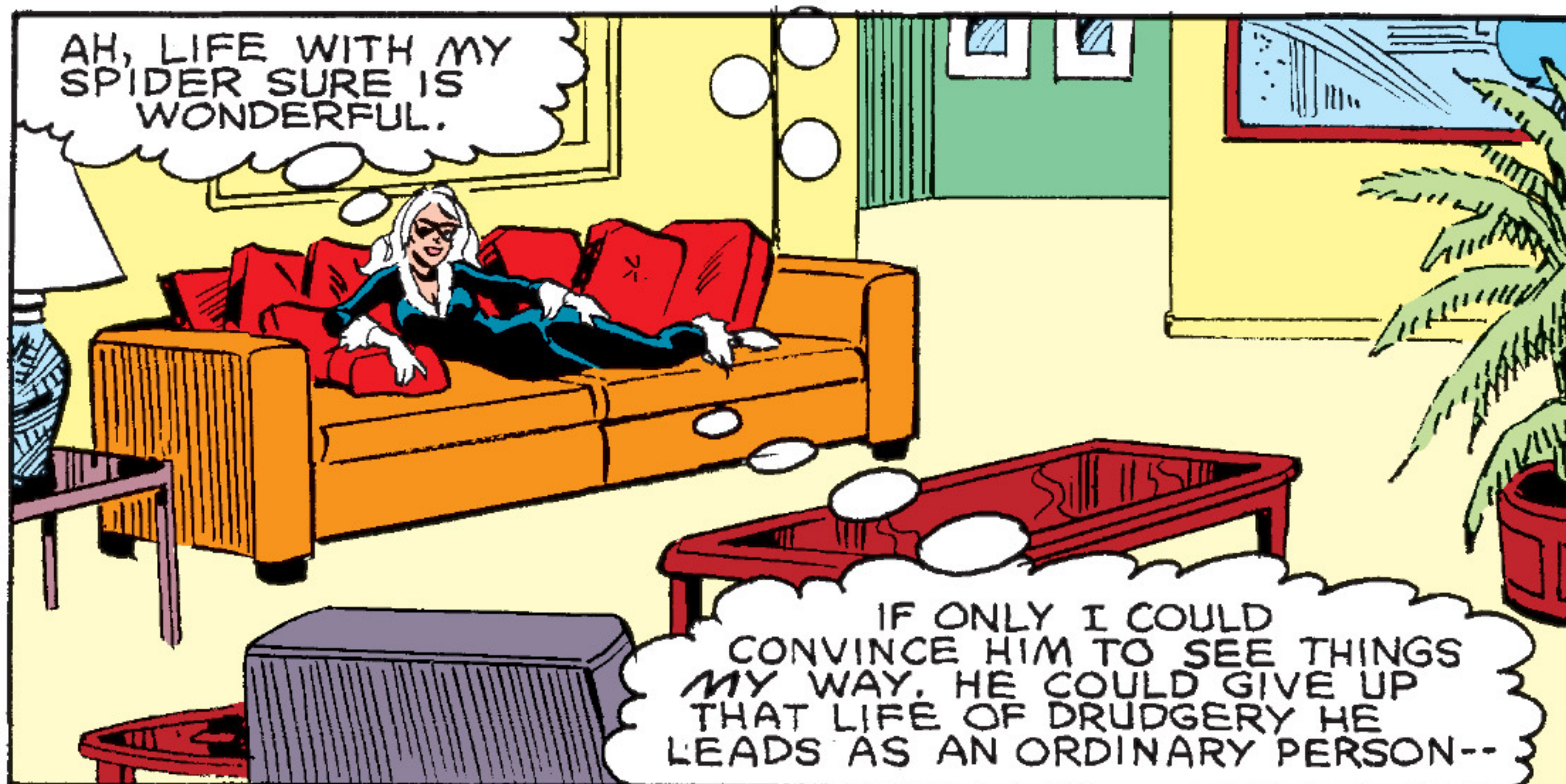
*SEE THE SECRET WARS LIMITED SERIES-- DANNY.







MEANWHILE, ACROSS TOWN, IN A LUXURIOUS HOTEL SUITE...



AH, LIFE WITH MY SPIDER SURE IS WONDERFUL.

IF ONLY I COULD CONVINCE HIM TO SEE THINGS MY WAY, HE COULD GIVE UP THAT LIFE OF DRUDGERY HE LEADS AS AN ORDINARY PERSON--

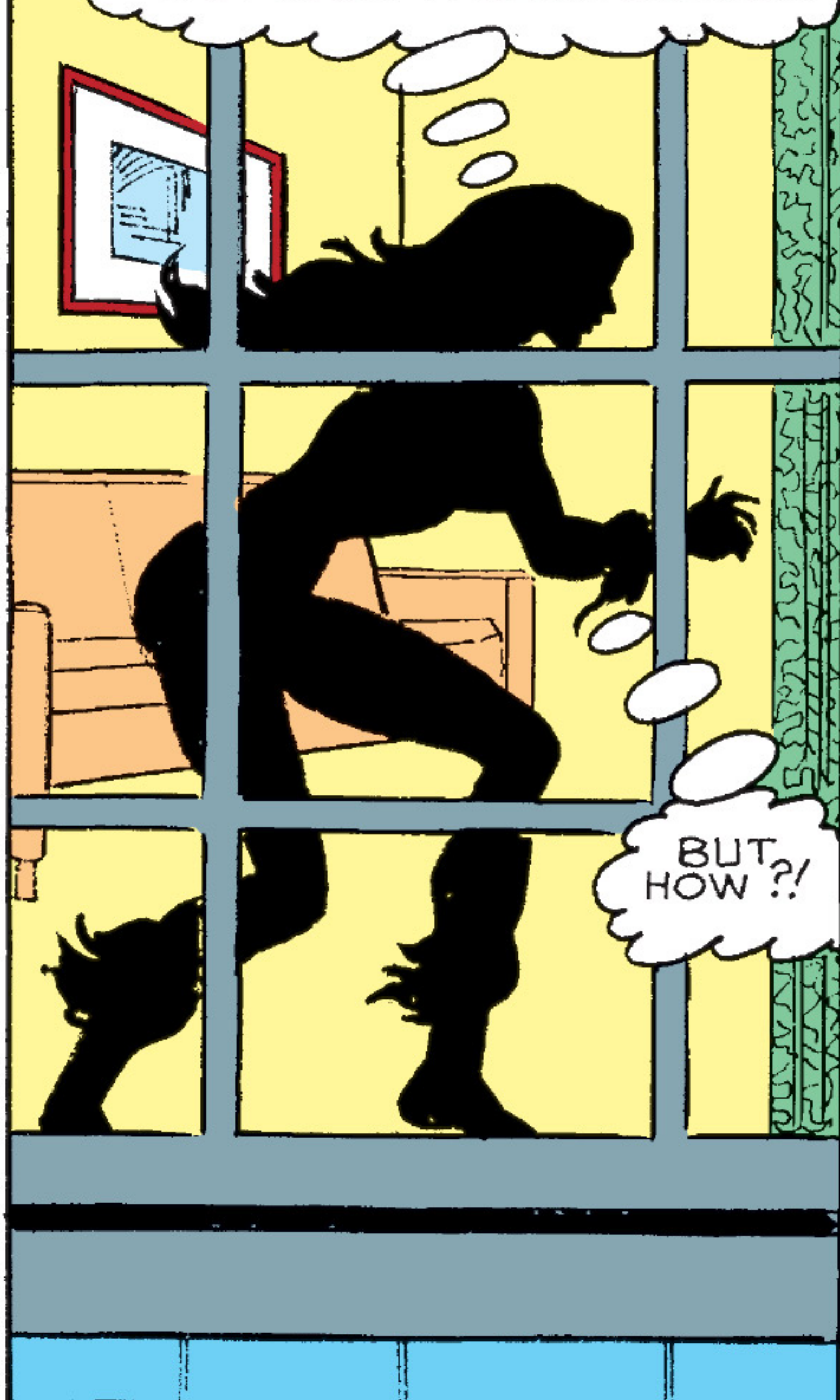


--AND HE AND I COULD SPEND OUR LIVES PROWLING THE NIGHT TOGETHER.

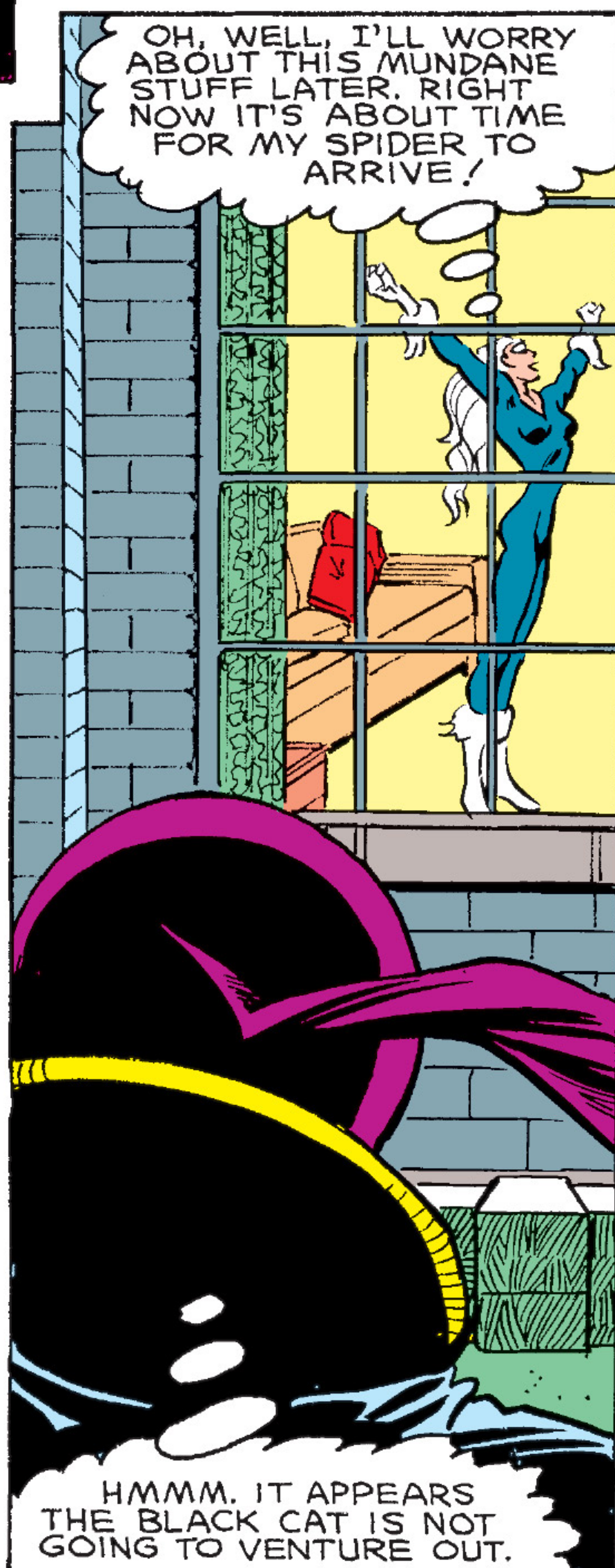
OF COURSE, THERE *WILL* BE PROBLEMS.

I COULD AFFORD TO LIVE HIGH ON THE HOG WHEN MY BURGLING WAS BRINGING IN LOTS OF MONEY. BUT NOW, I'VE SWORN TO GO STRAIGHT--

--AND MY RESOURCES ARE DWINDLING DANGEROUSLY LOW. SURELY THERE MUST BE SOME WAY THAT WE TWO EXTRAORDINARY PEOPLE CAN EARN A HUGE INCOME.

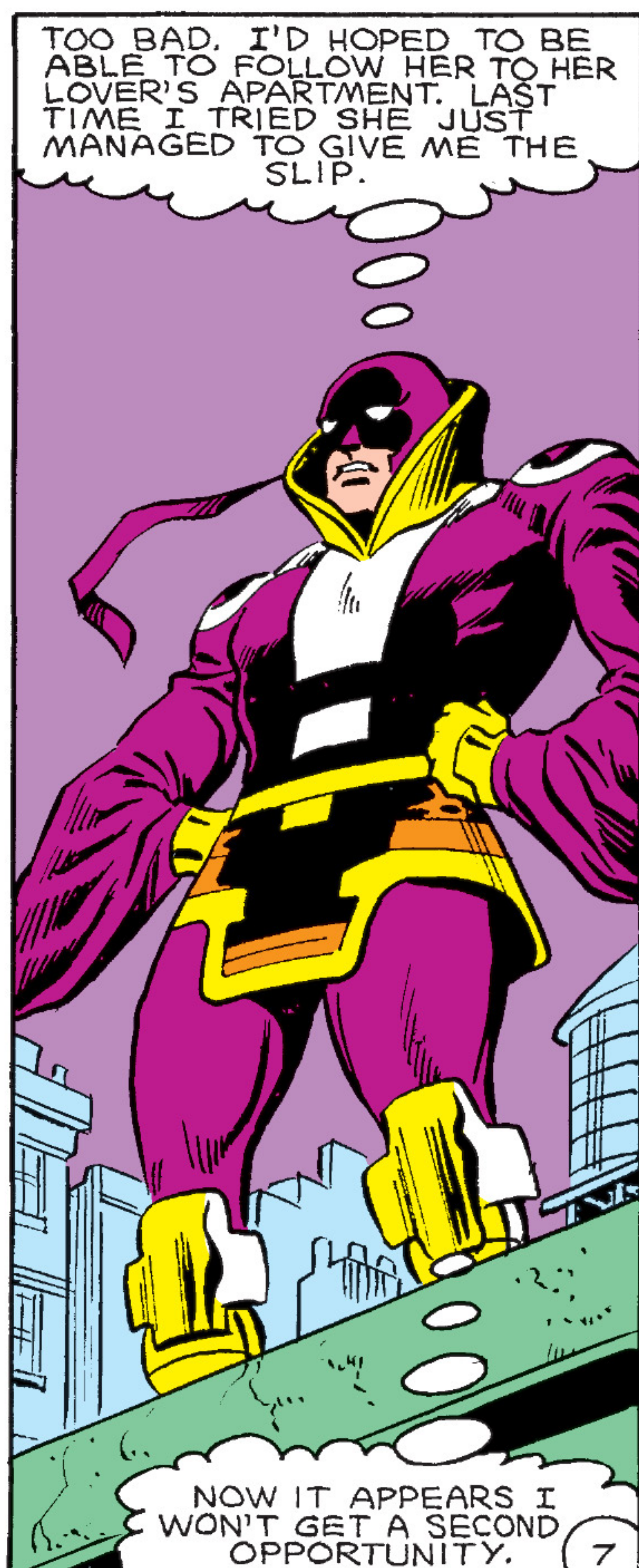


BUT HOW?!



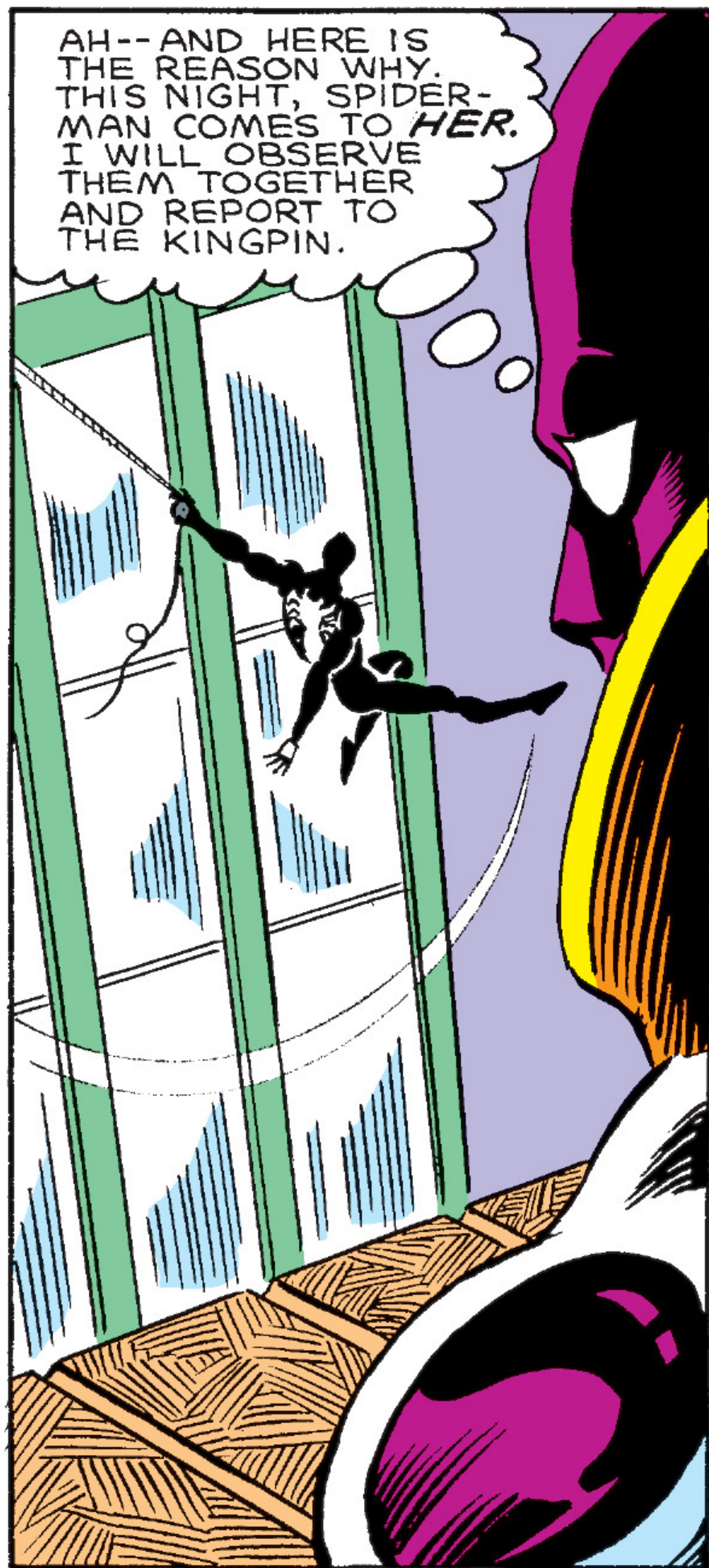
OH, WELL, I'LL WORRY ABOUT THIS MUNDANE STUFF LATER. RIGHT NOW IT'S ABOUT TIME FOR MY SPIDER TO ARRIVE!

HMMM. IT APPEARS THE BLACK CAT IS NOT GOING TO VENTURE OUT.

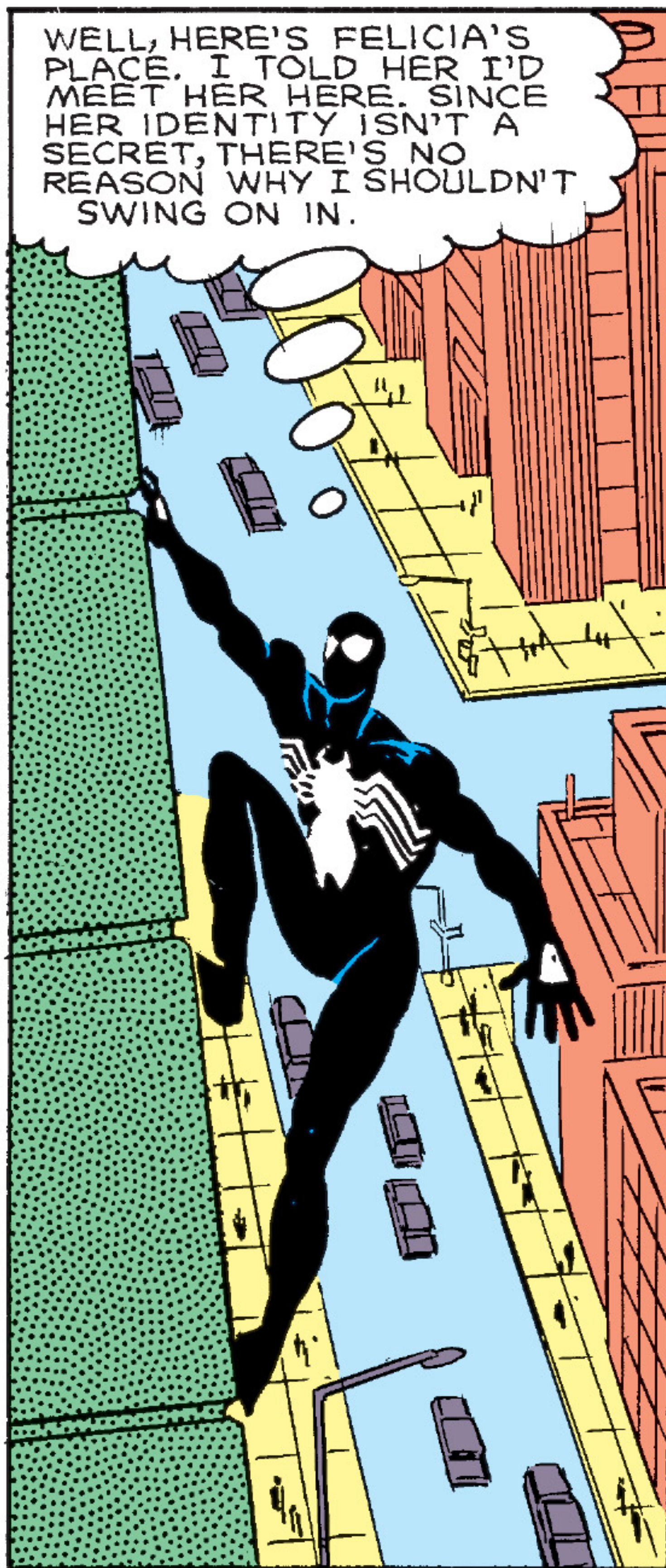


TOO BAD. I'D HOPED TO BE ABLE TO FOLLOW HER TO HER LOVER'S APARTMENT. LAST TIME I TRIED SHE JUST MANAGED TO GIVE ME THE SLIP.

NOW IT APPEARS I WON'T GET A SECOND OPPORTUNITY.



AH--AND HERE IS THE REASON WHY. THIS NIGHT, SPIDER-MAN COMES TO **HER**. I WILL OBSERVE THEM TOGETHER AND REPORT TO THE KINGPIN.



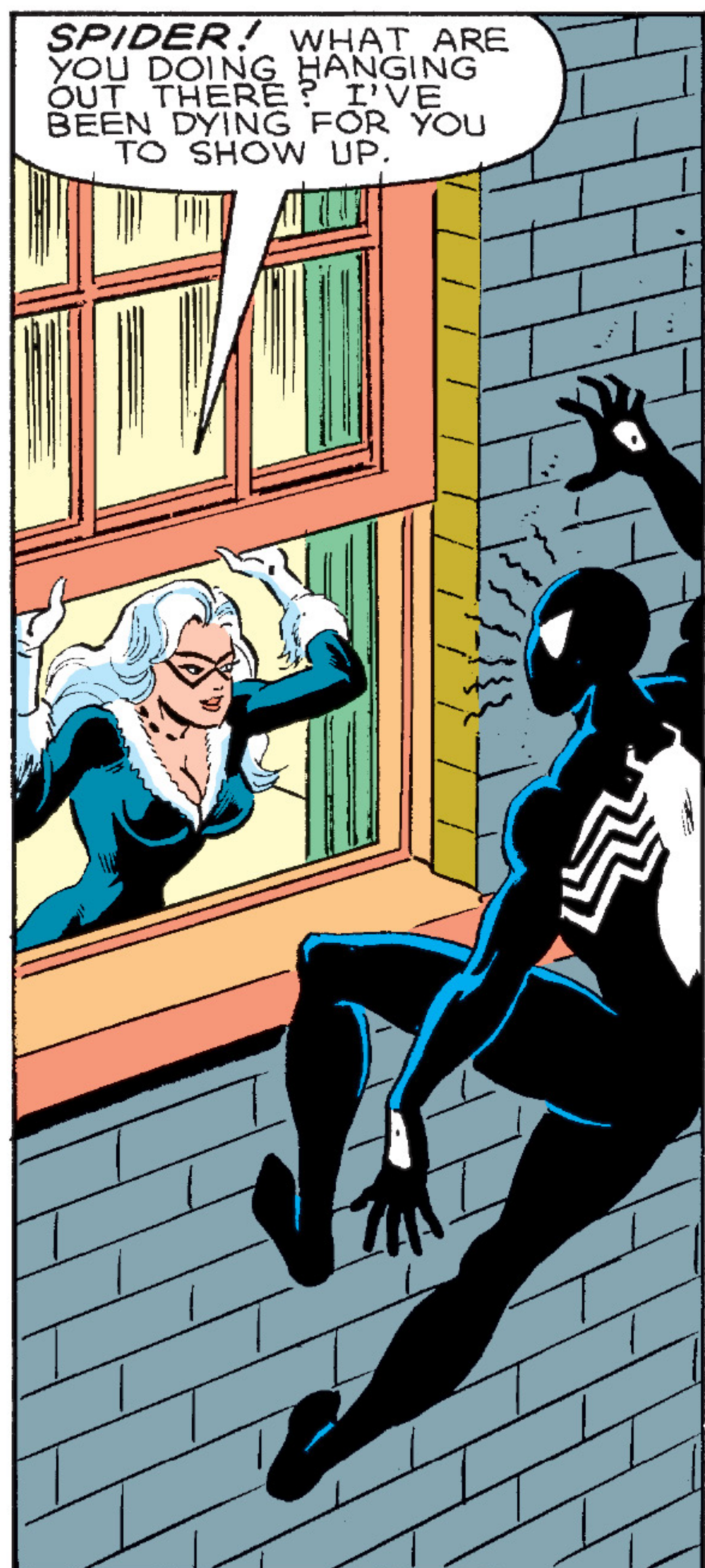
WELL, HERE'S FELICIA'S PLACE. I TOLD HER I'D MEET HER HERE. SINCE HER IDENTITY ISN'T A SECRET, THERE'S NO REASON WHY I SHOULDN'T SWING ON IN.



BUT MAYBE I **SHOULDN'T** SEE HER TONIGHT. THE WAY I'M FEELING ABOUT HER WEIRD AVERSION TO PETER PARKER IS BEGINNING TO GET ME DOWN.

I'M AFRAID I'LL SAY SOMETHING I'LL REGRET LATER.

MAYBE I'D BETTER SWING OFF AND COOL DOWN BEFORE--



SPIDER! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HANGING OUT THERE? I'VE BEEN DYING FOR YOU TO SHOW UP.



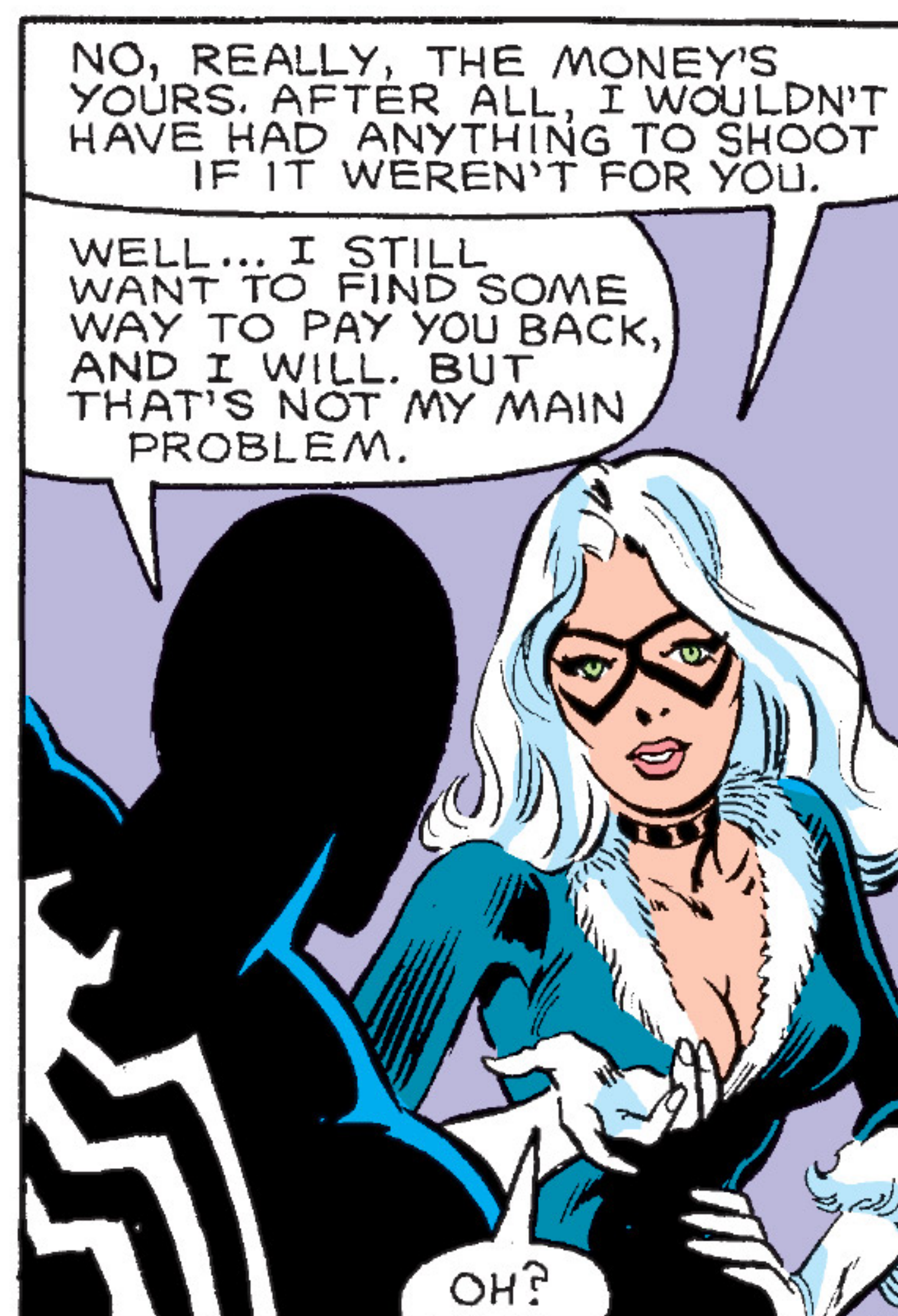
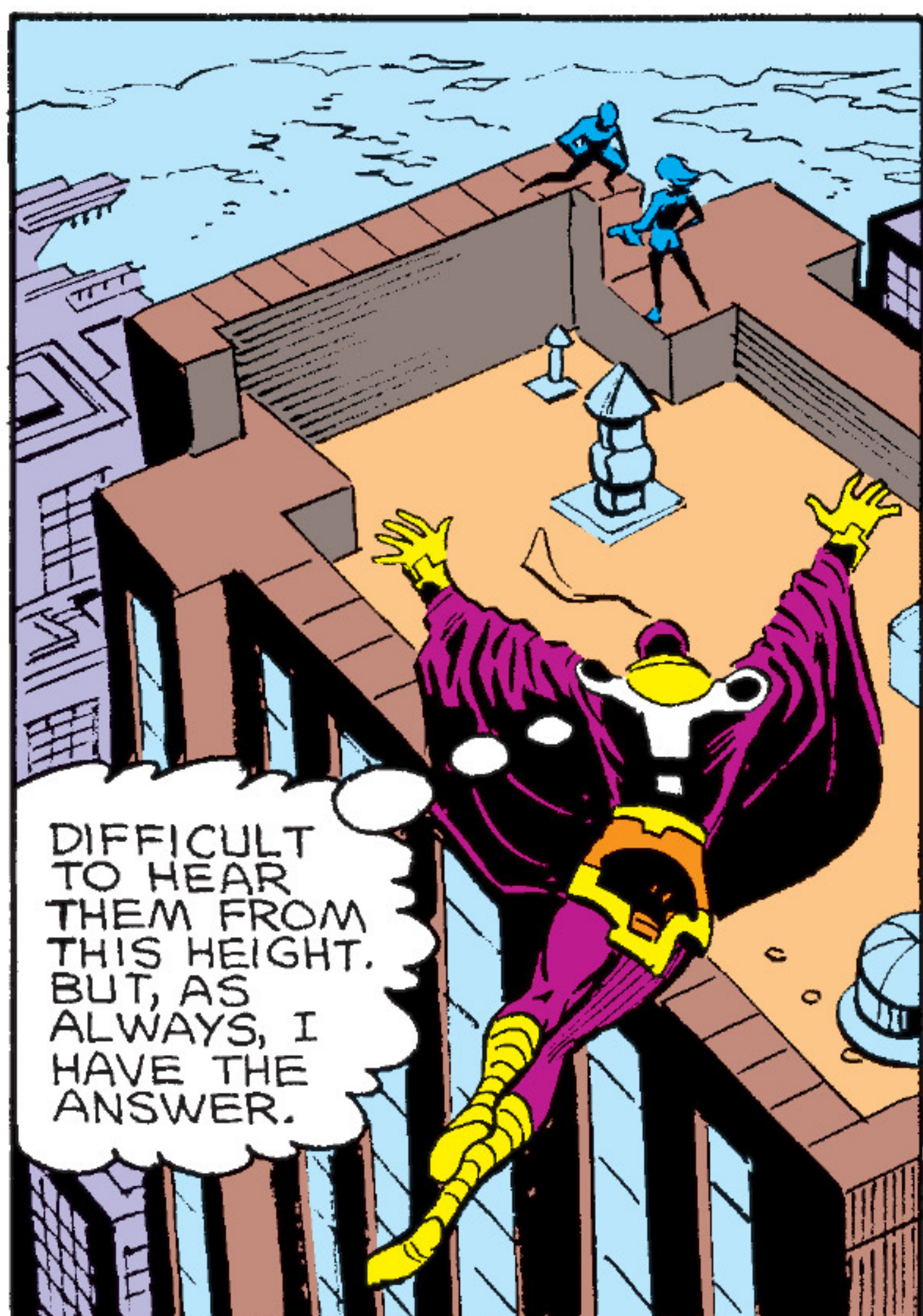
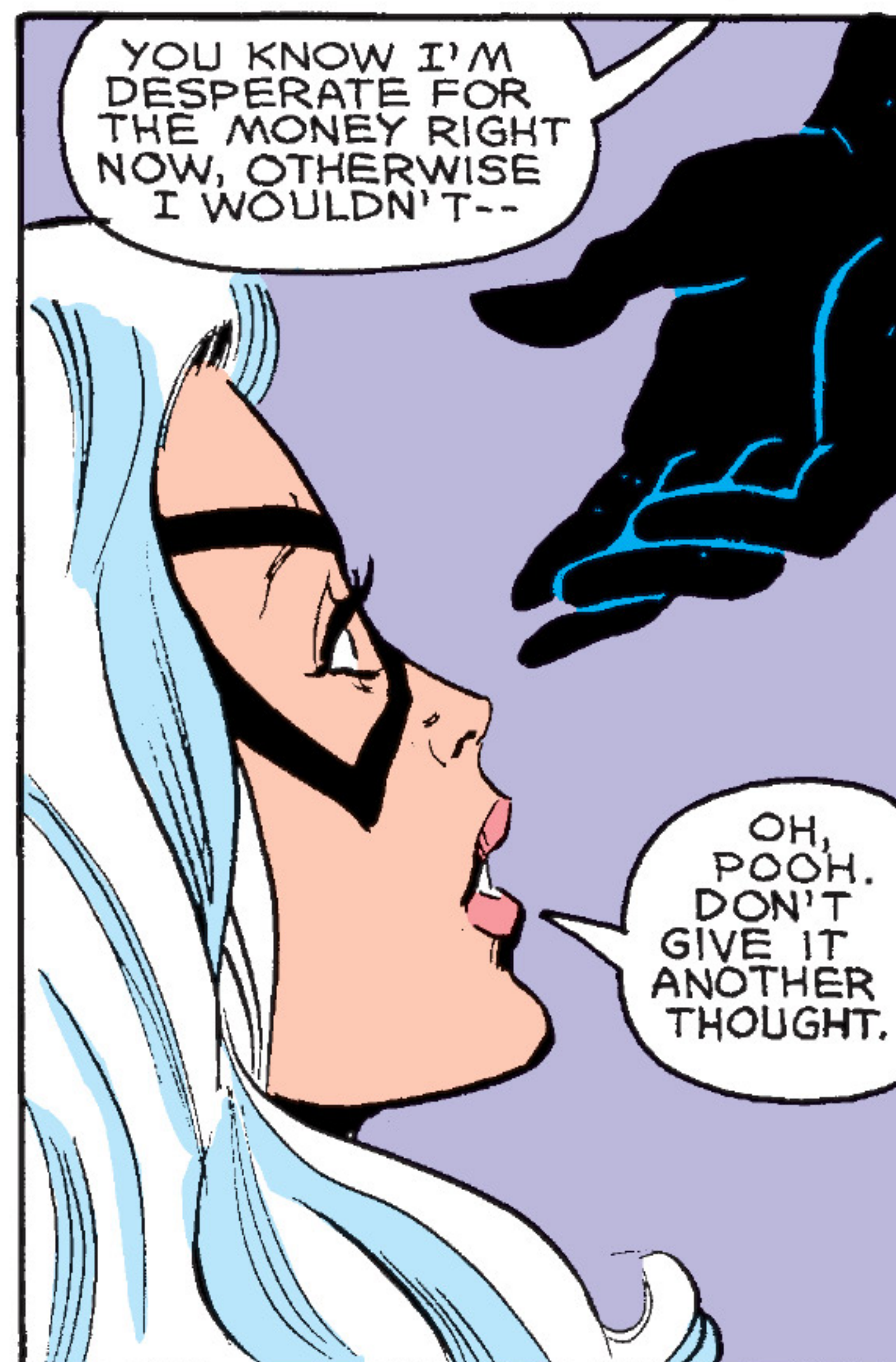
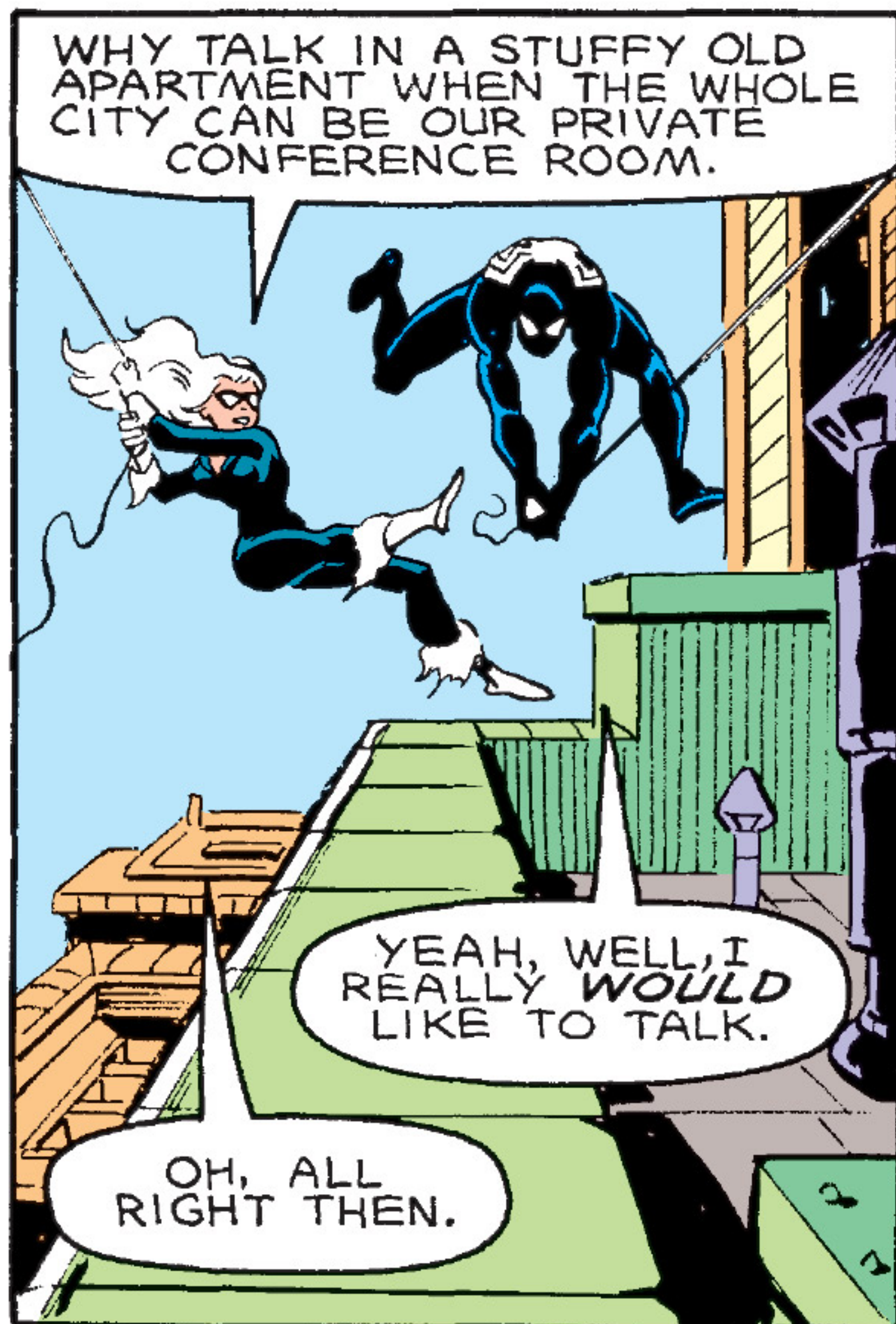
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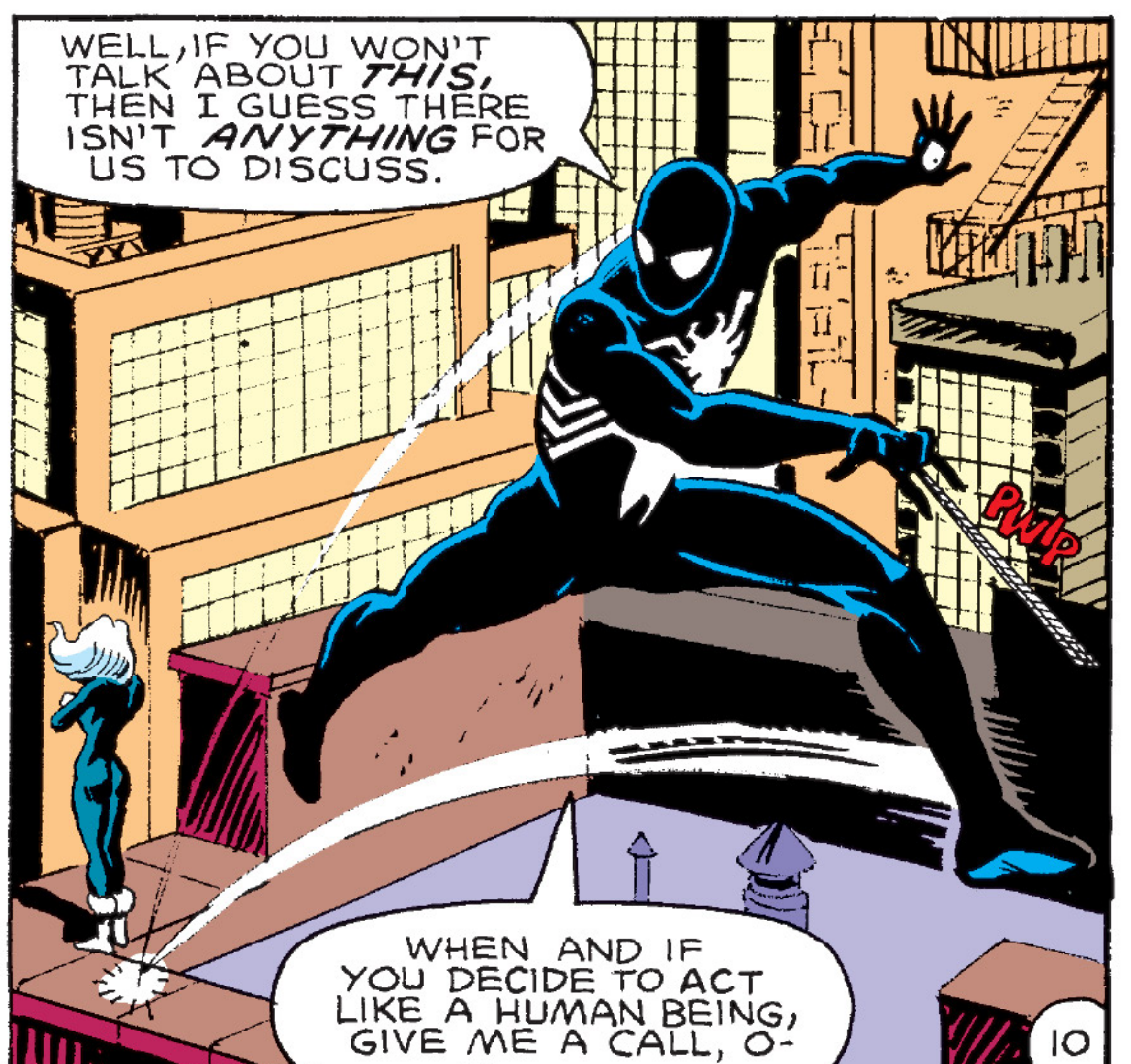
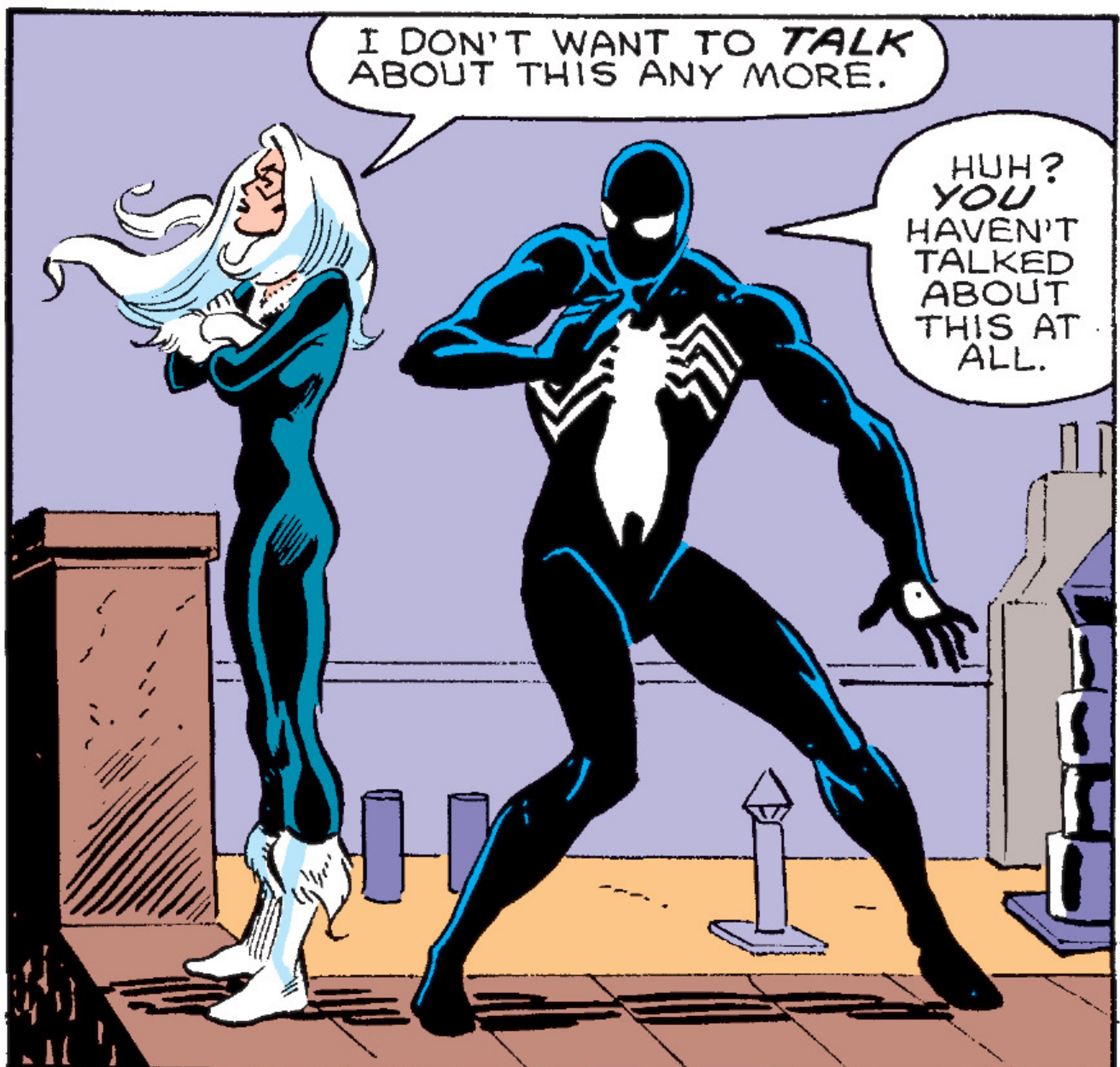
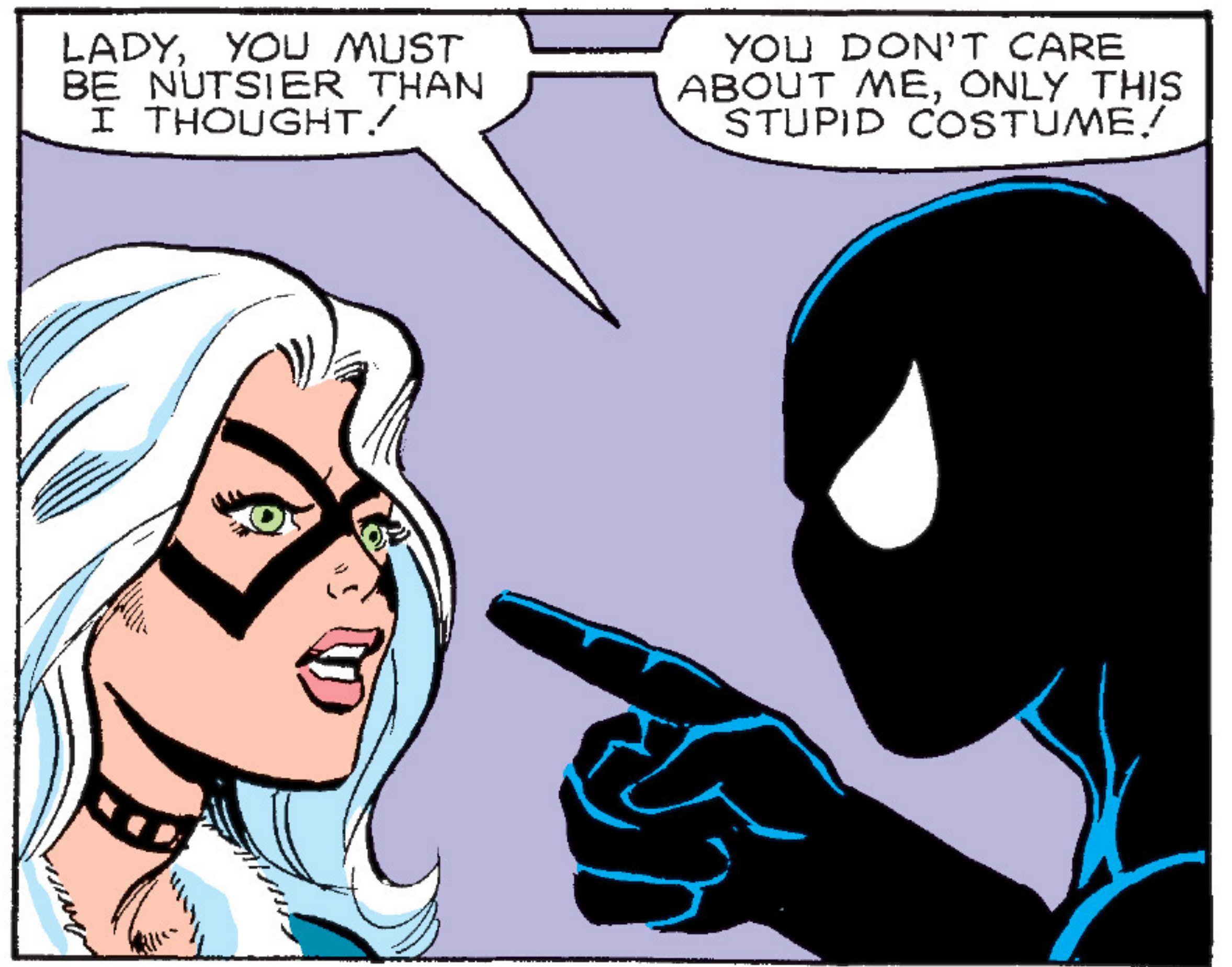
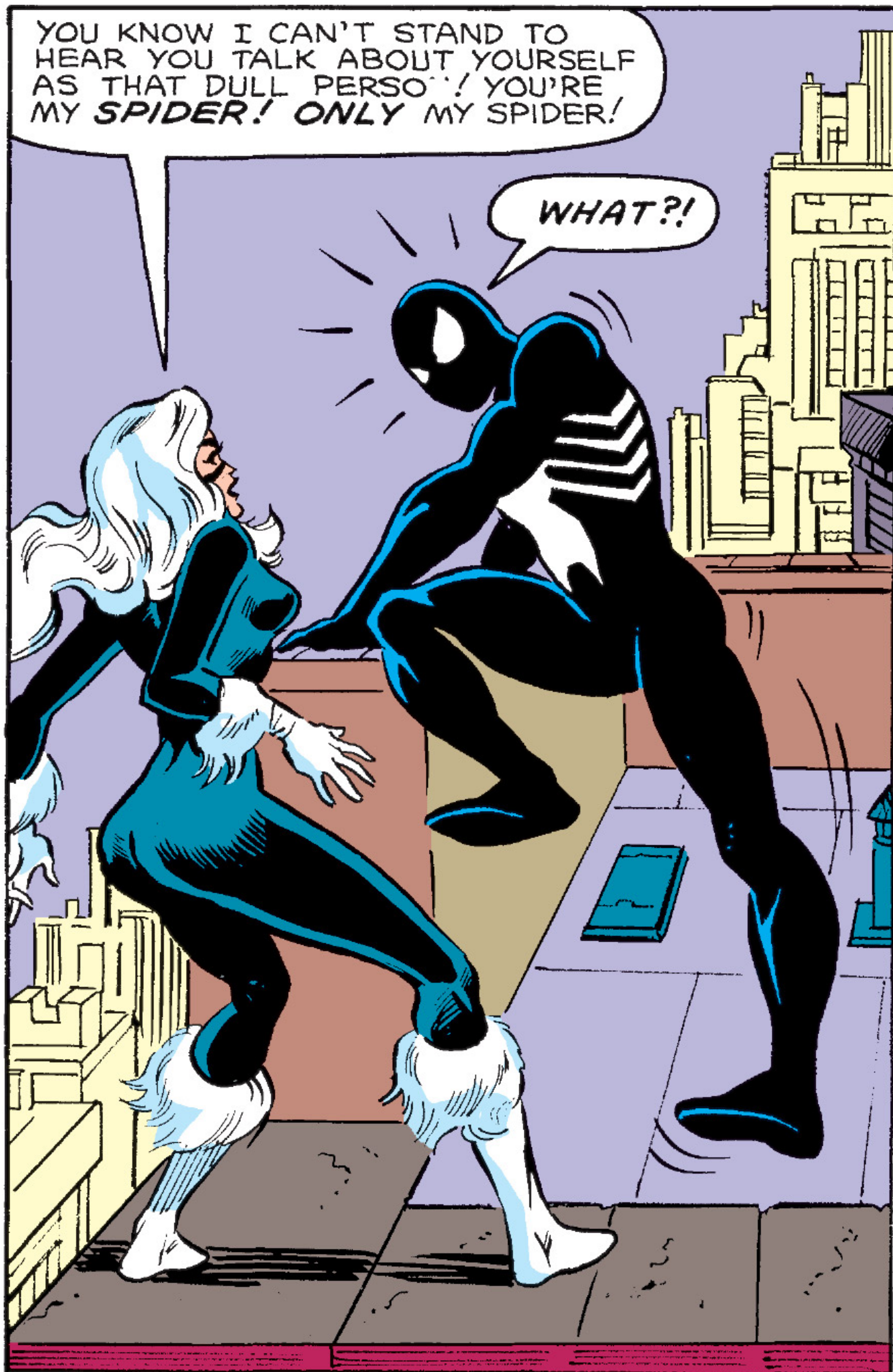
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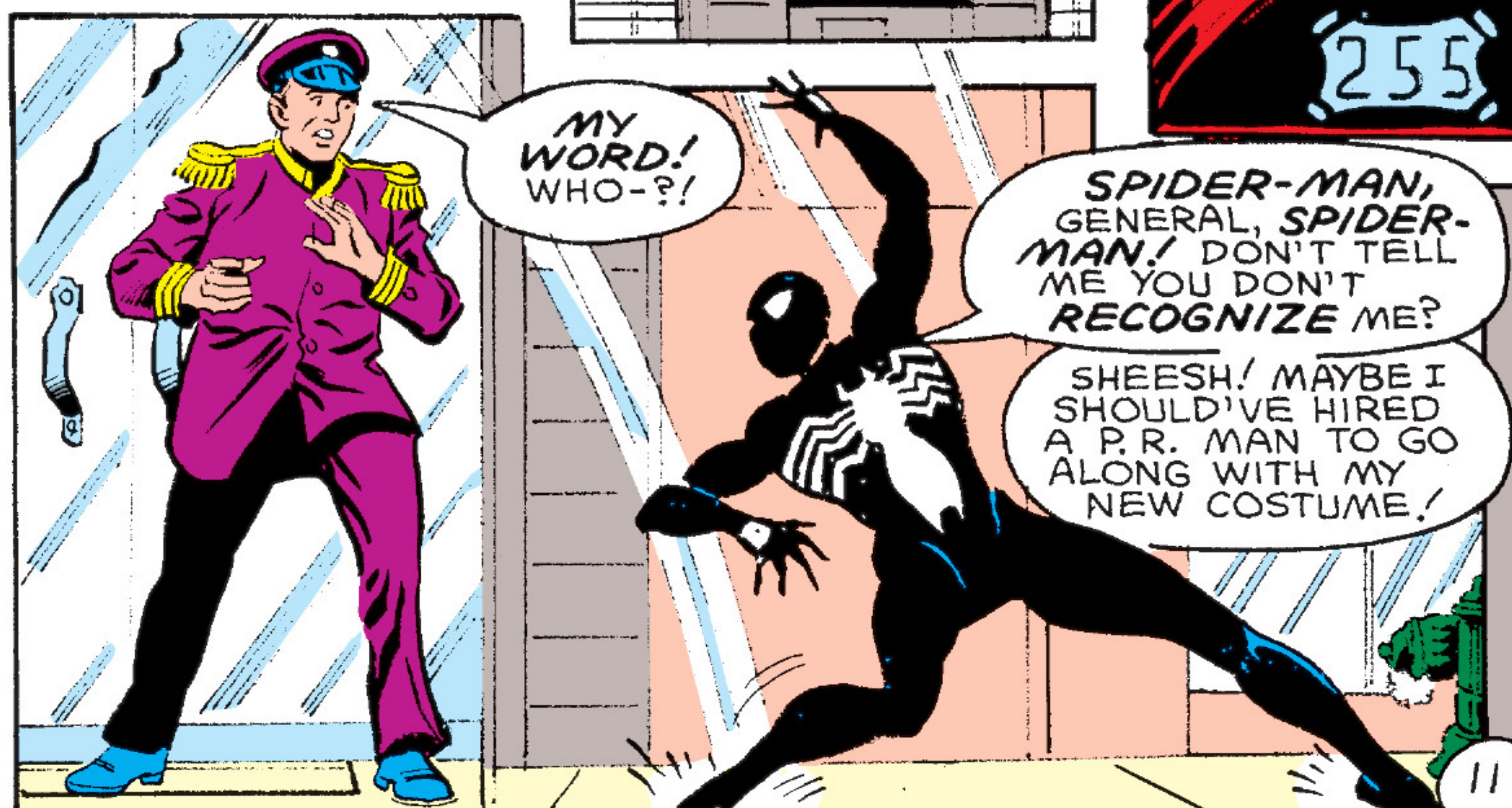
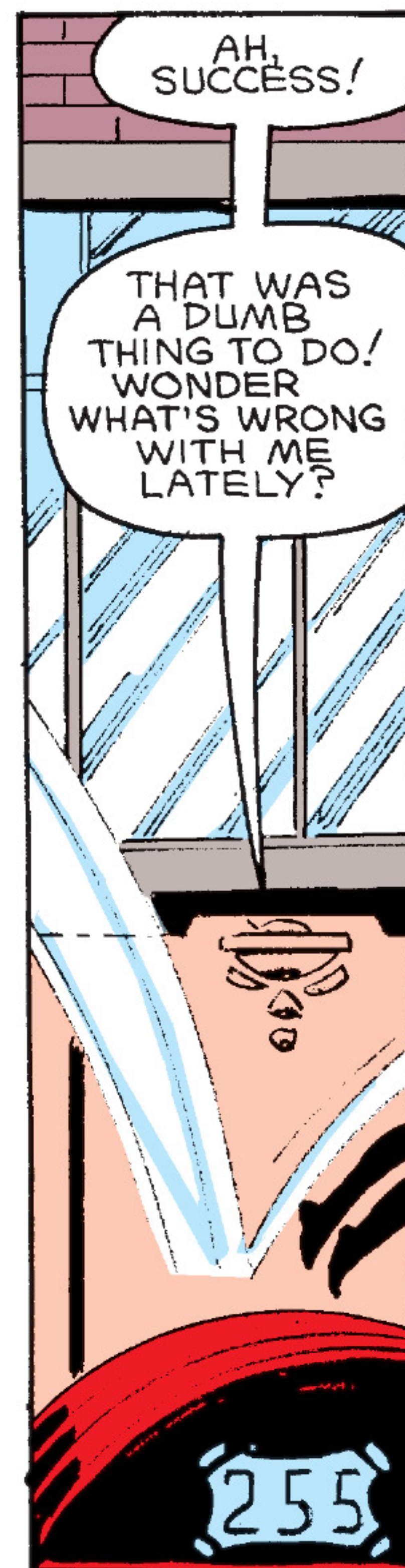
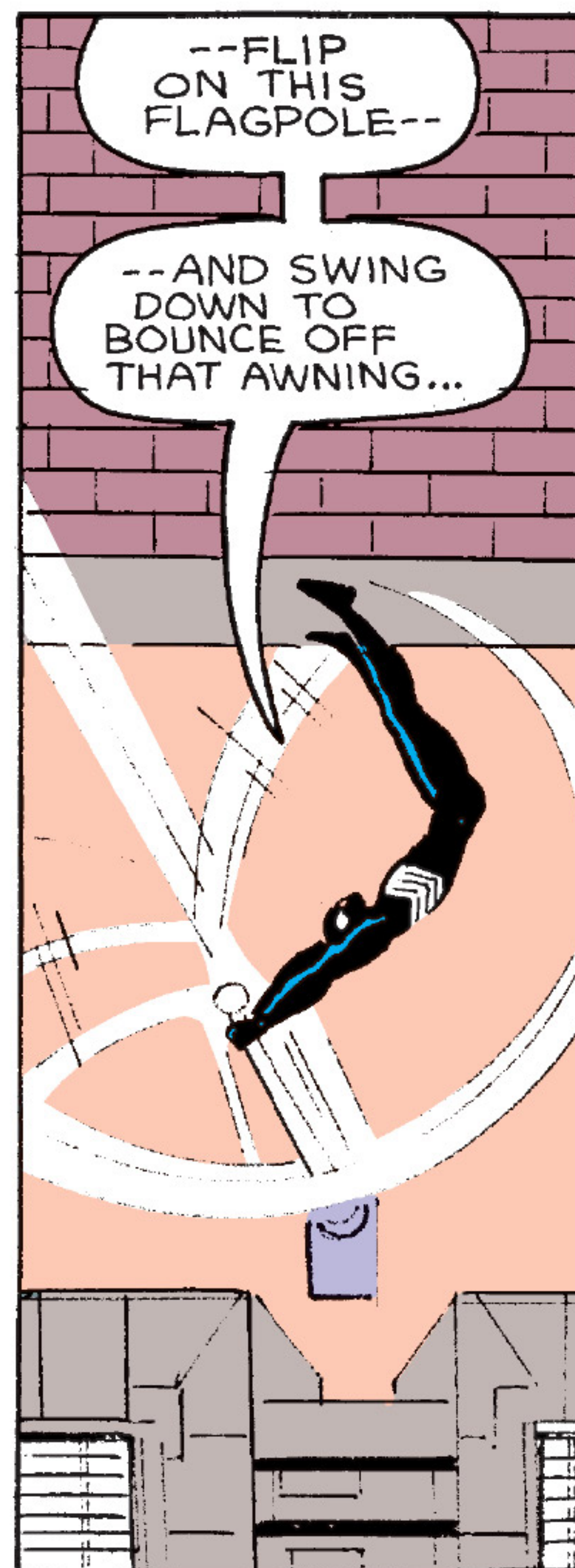
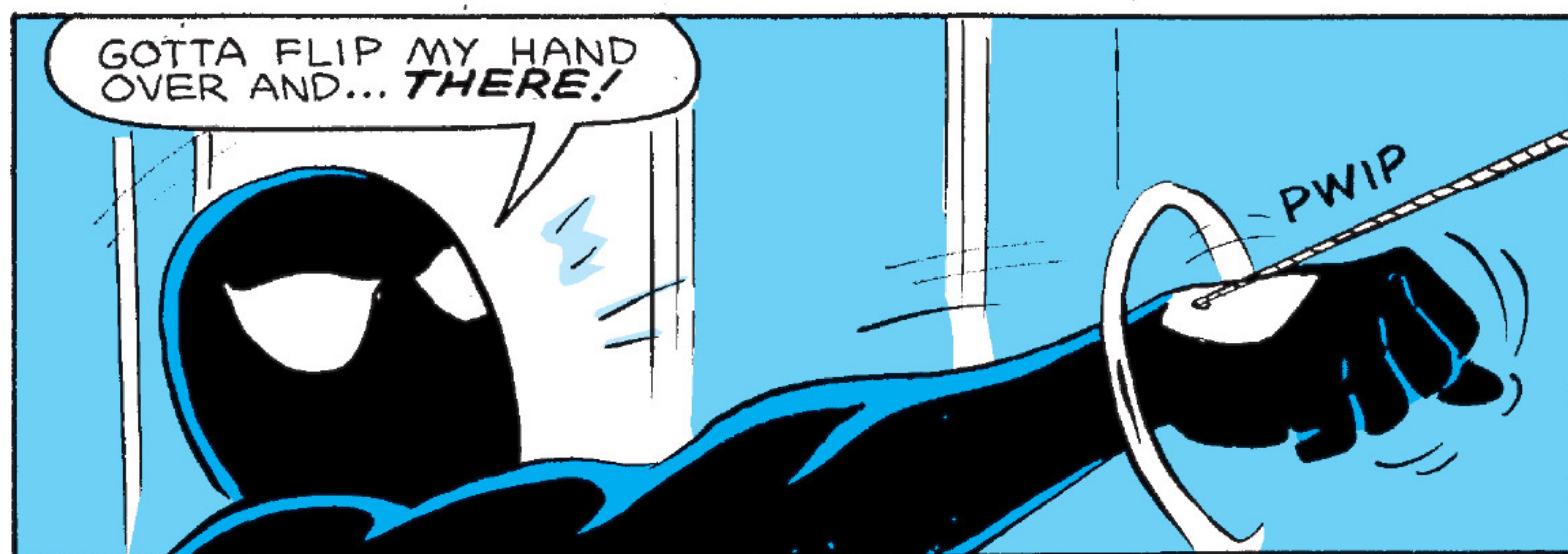
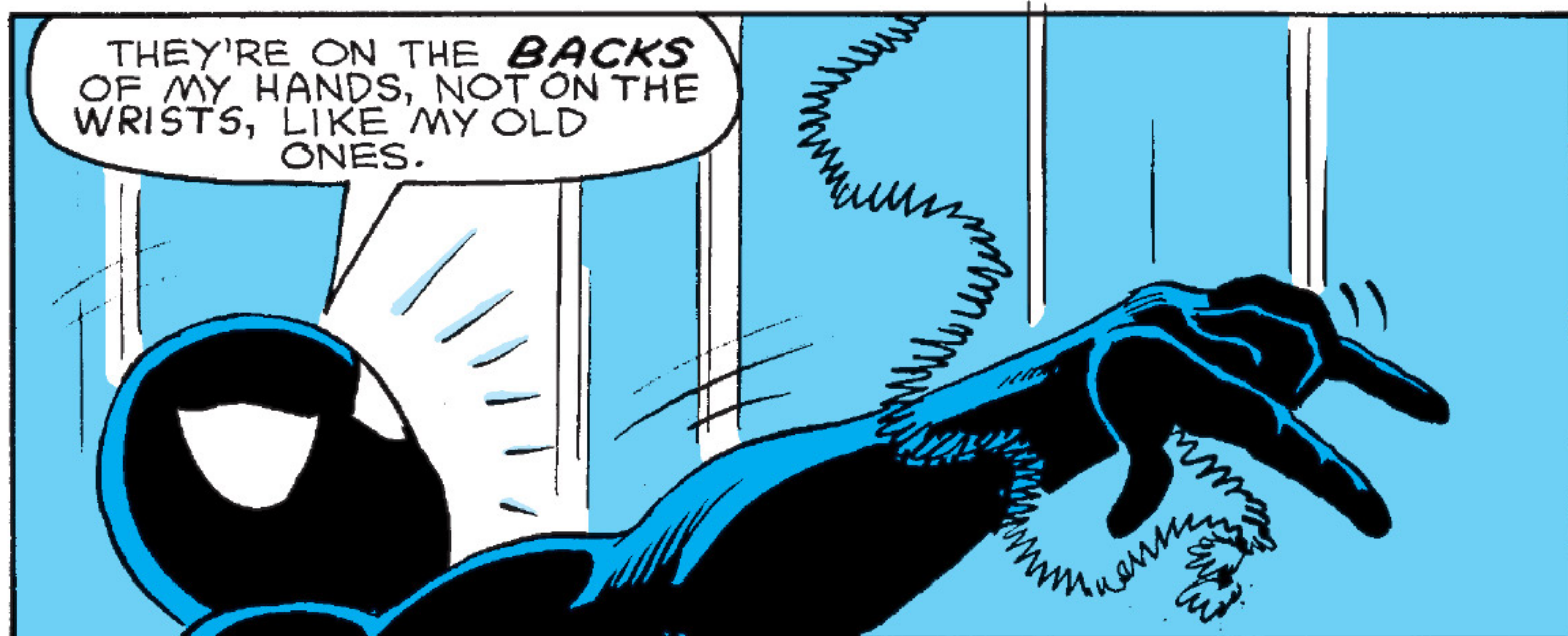
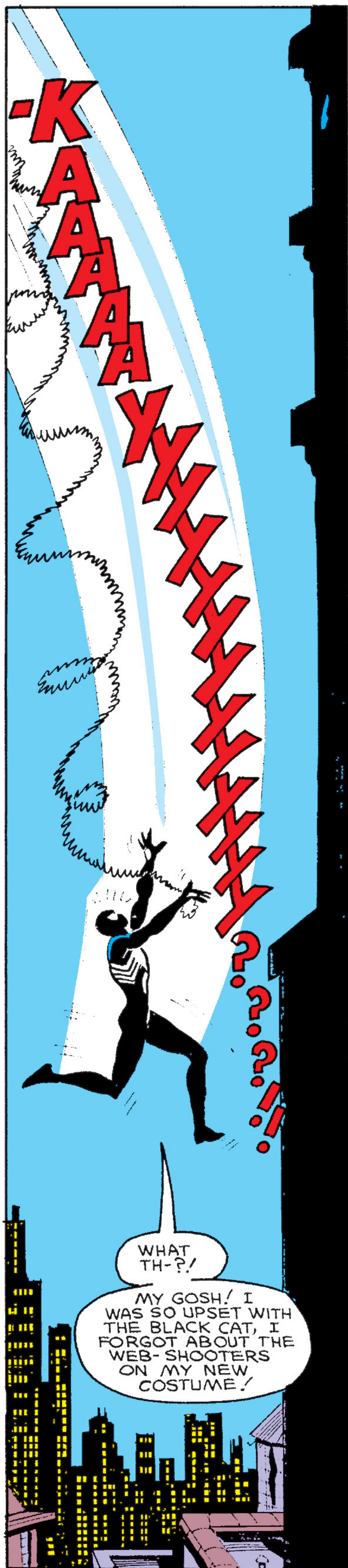


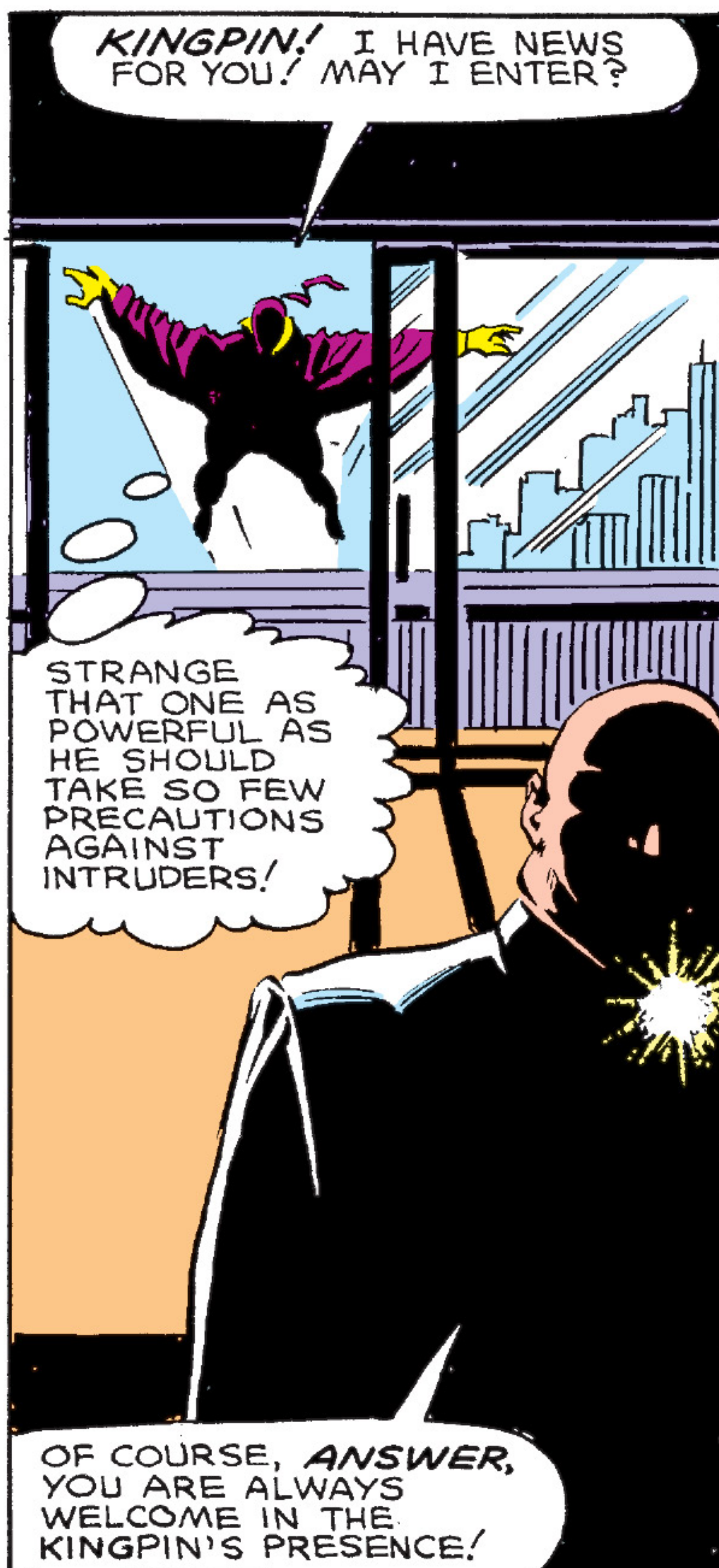
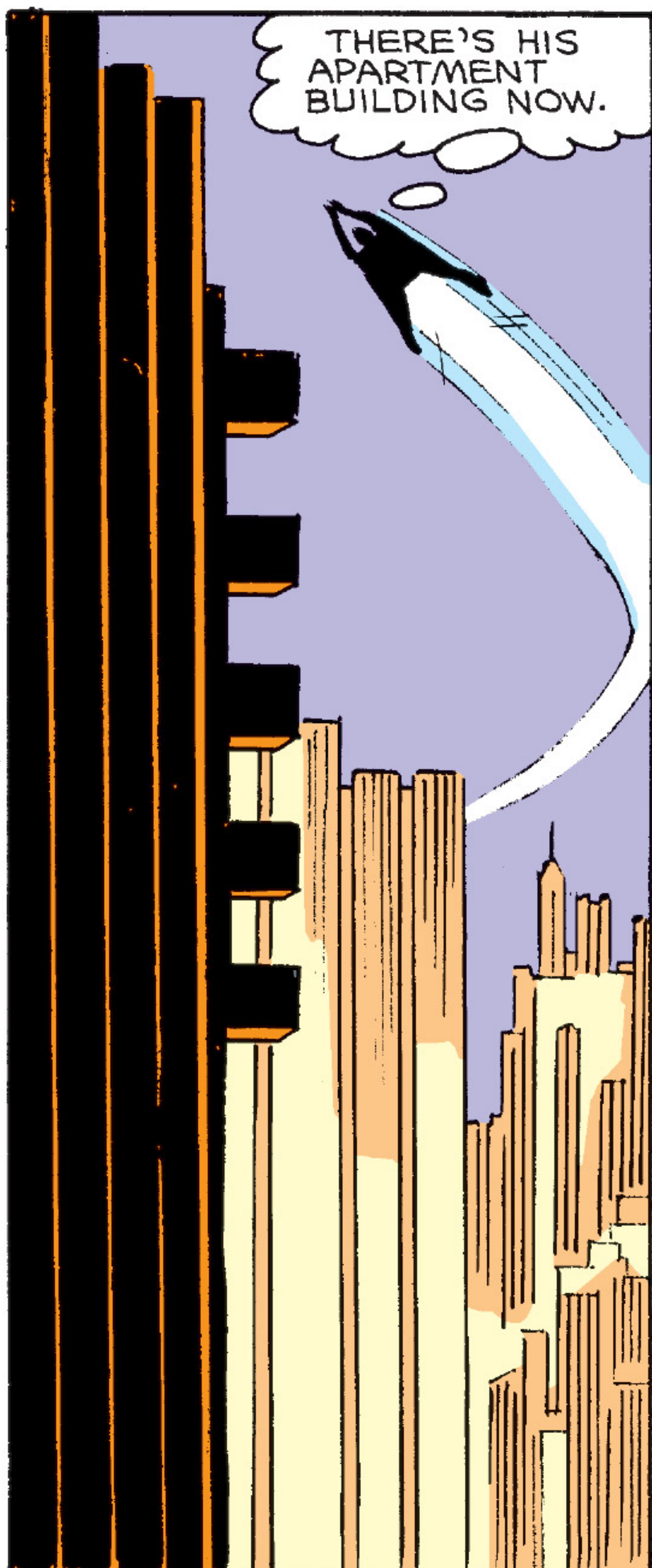
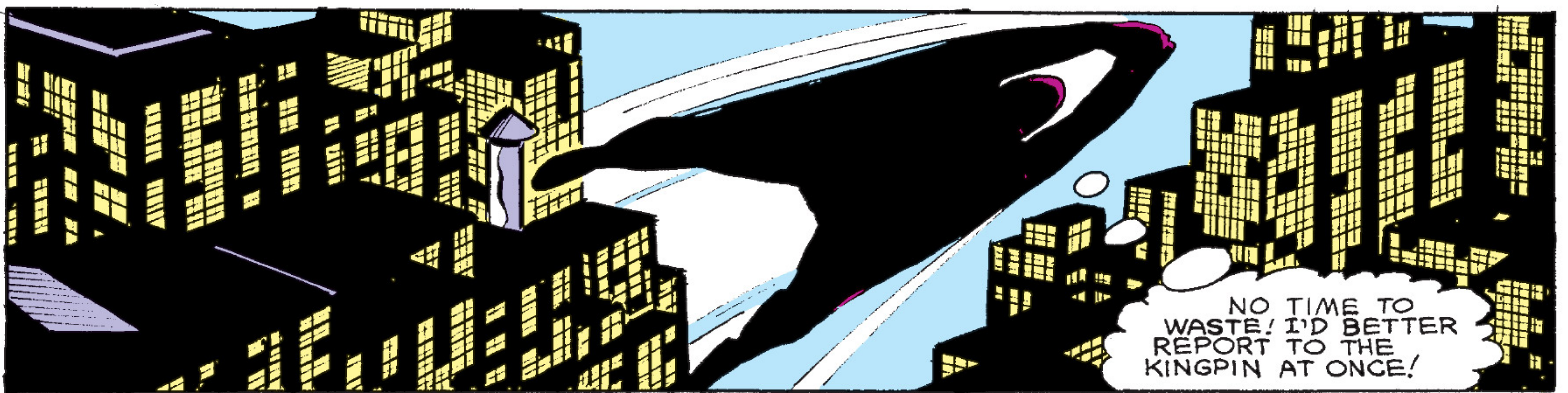
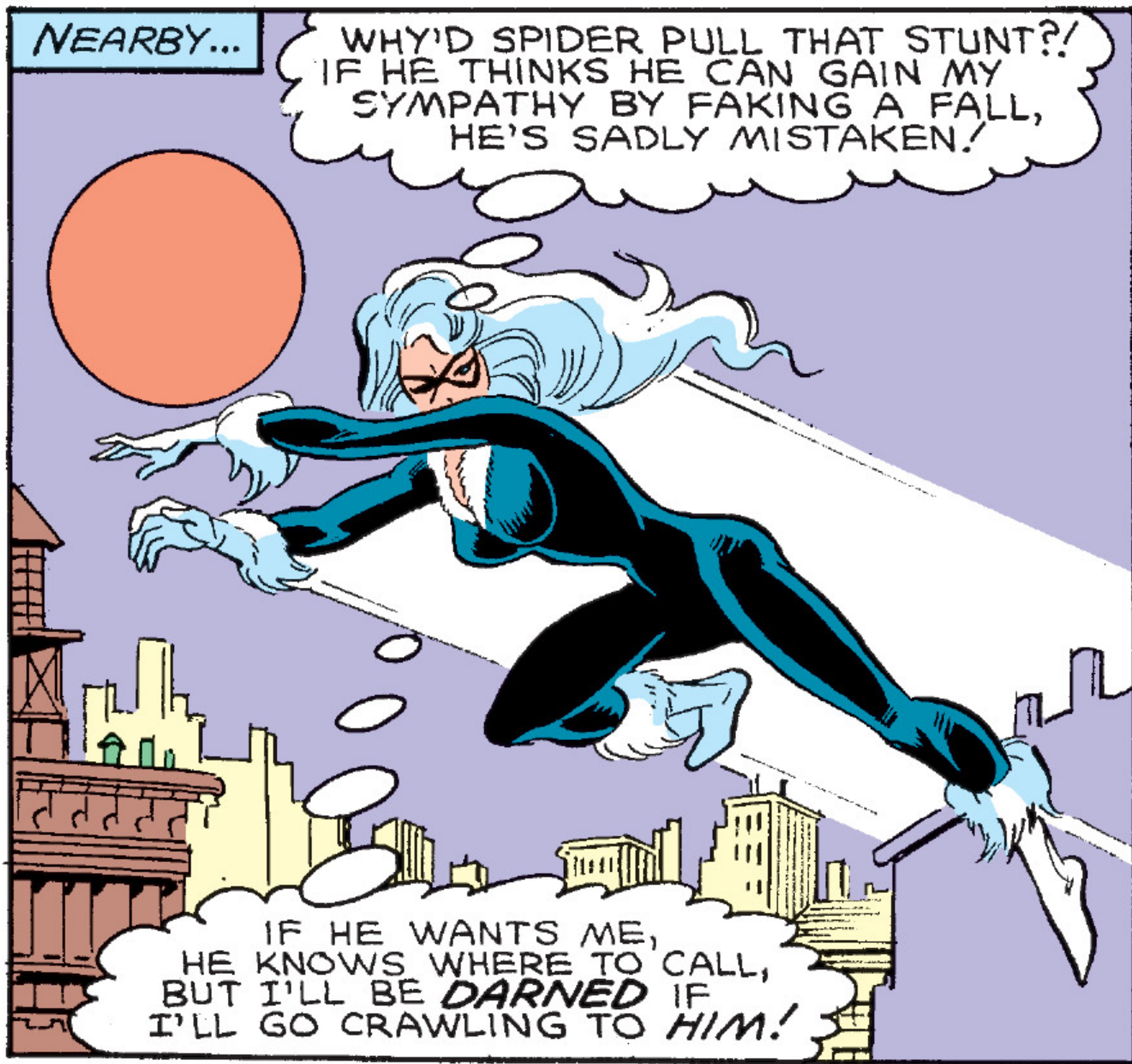
CAT, I WAS GOING TO COME INSIDE. I HAVE SOME THINGS I WANT TO DISCUSS WITH YOU!

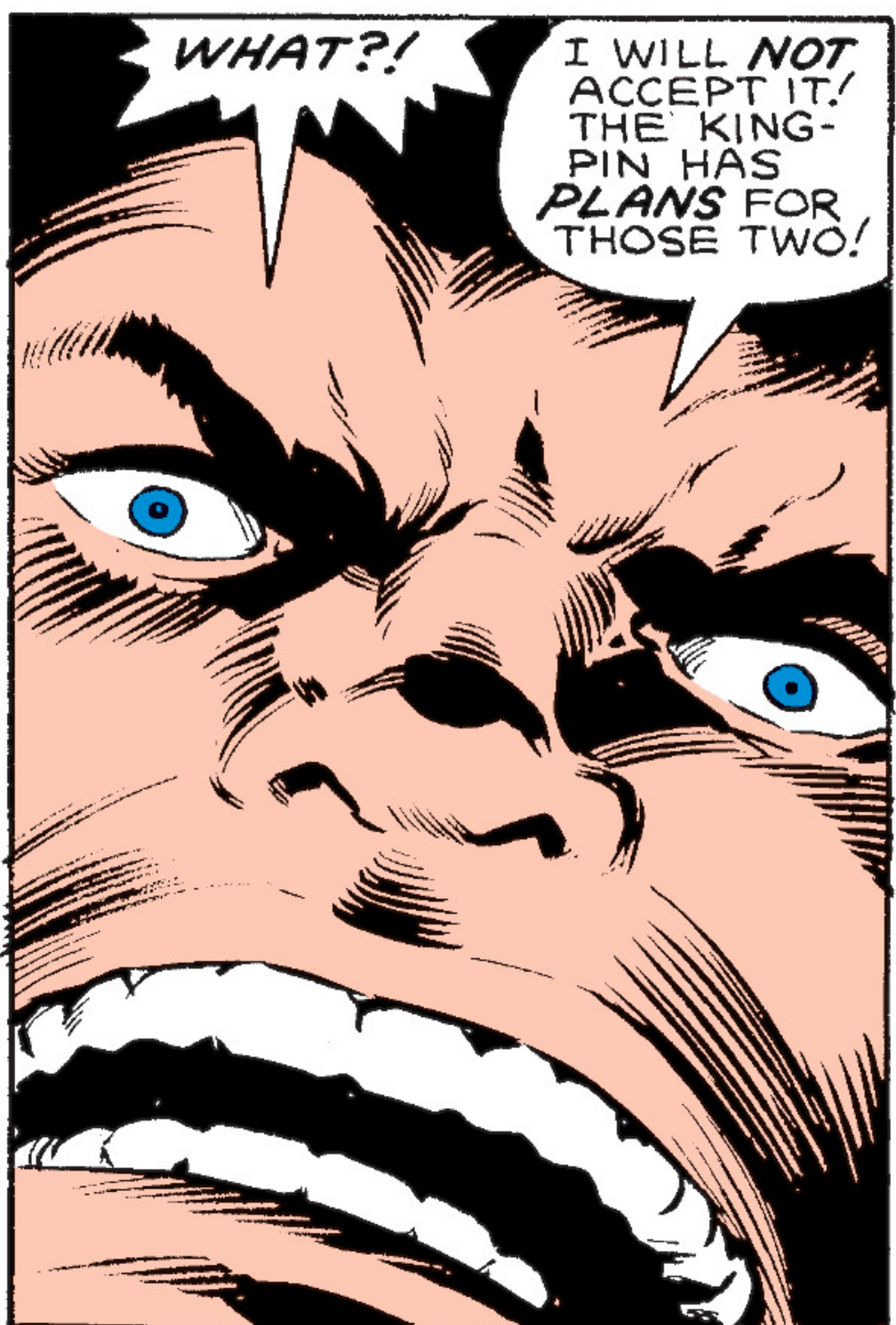
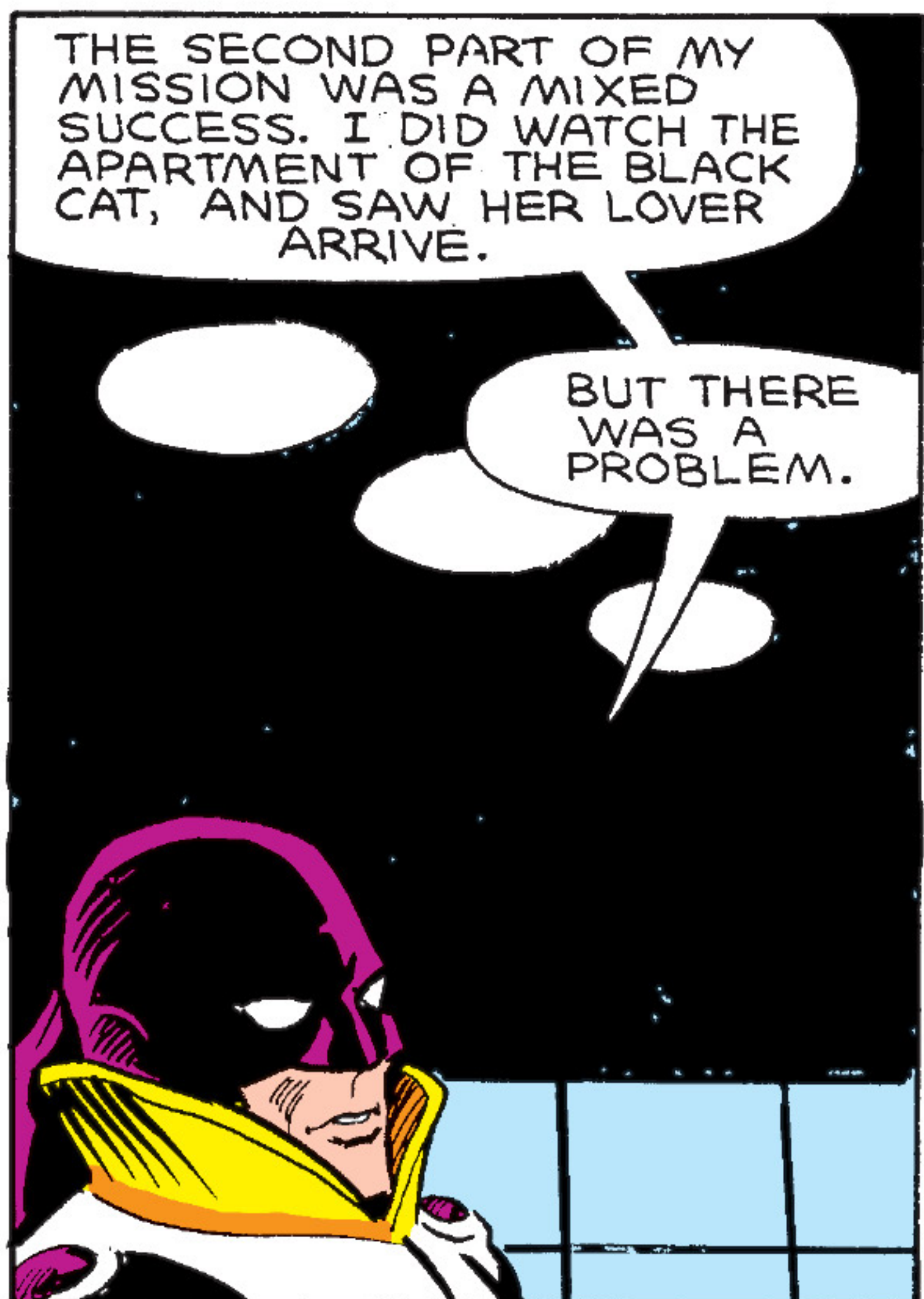
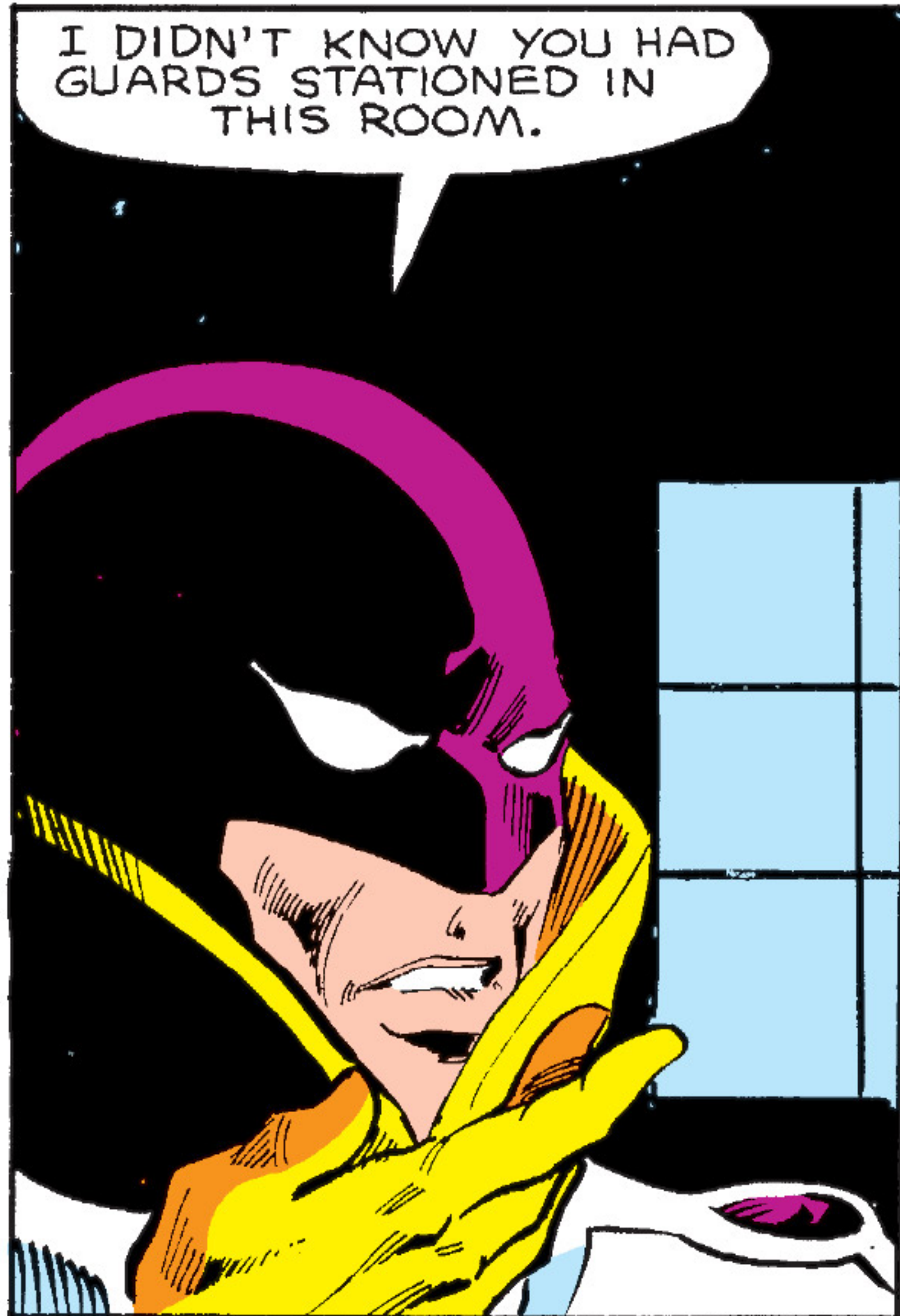
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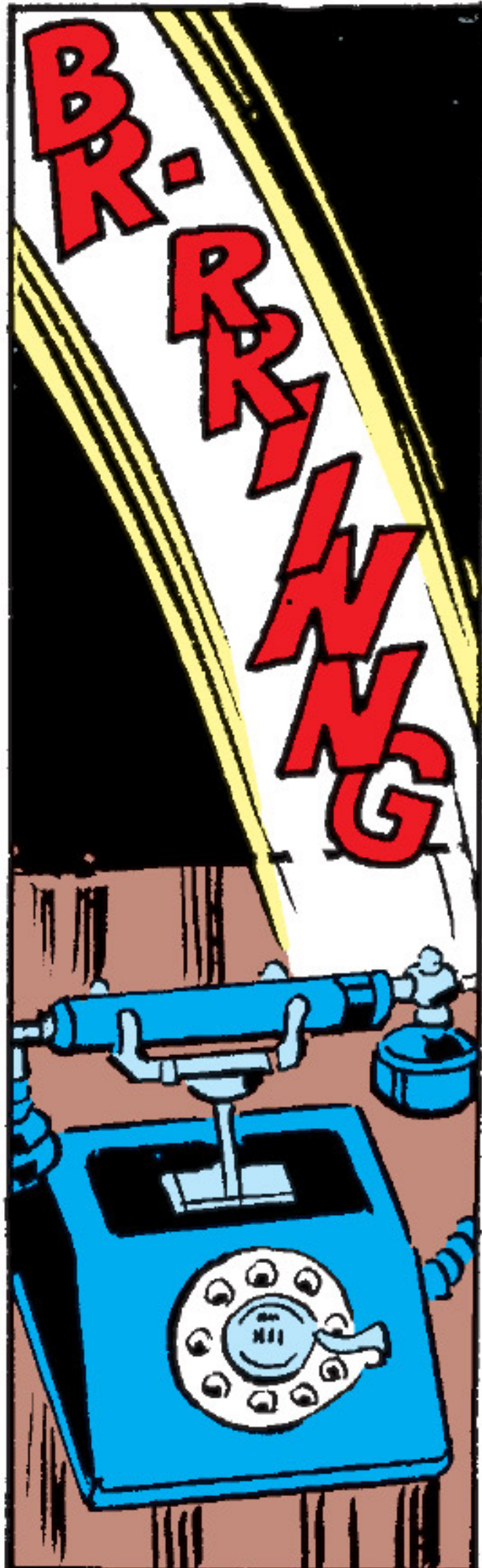
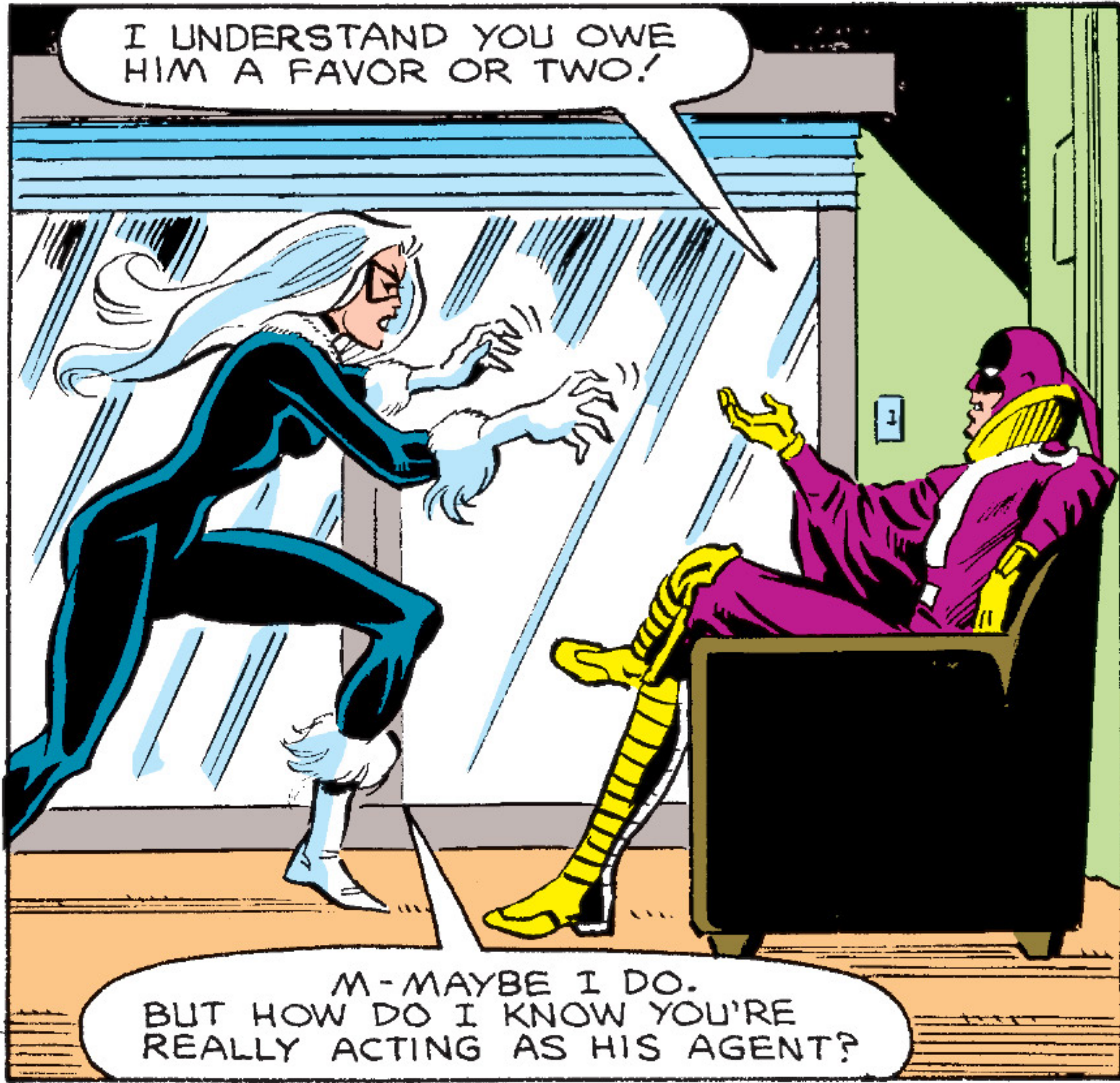
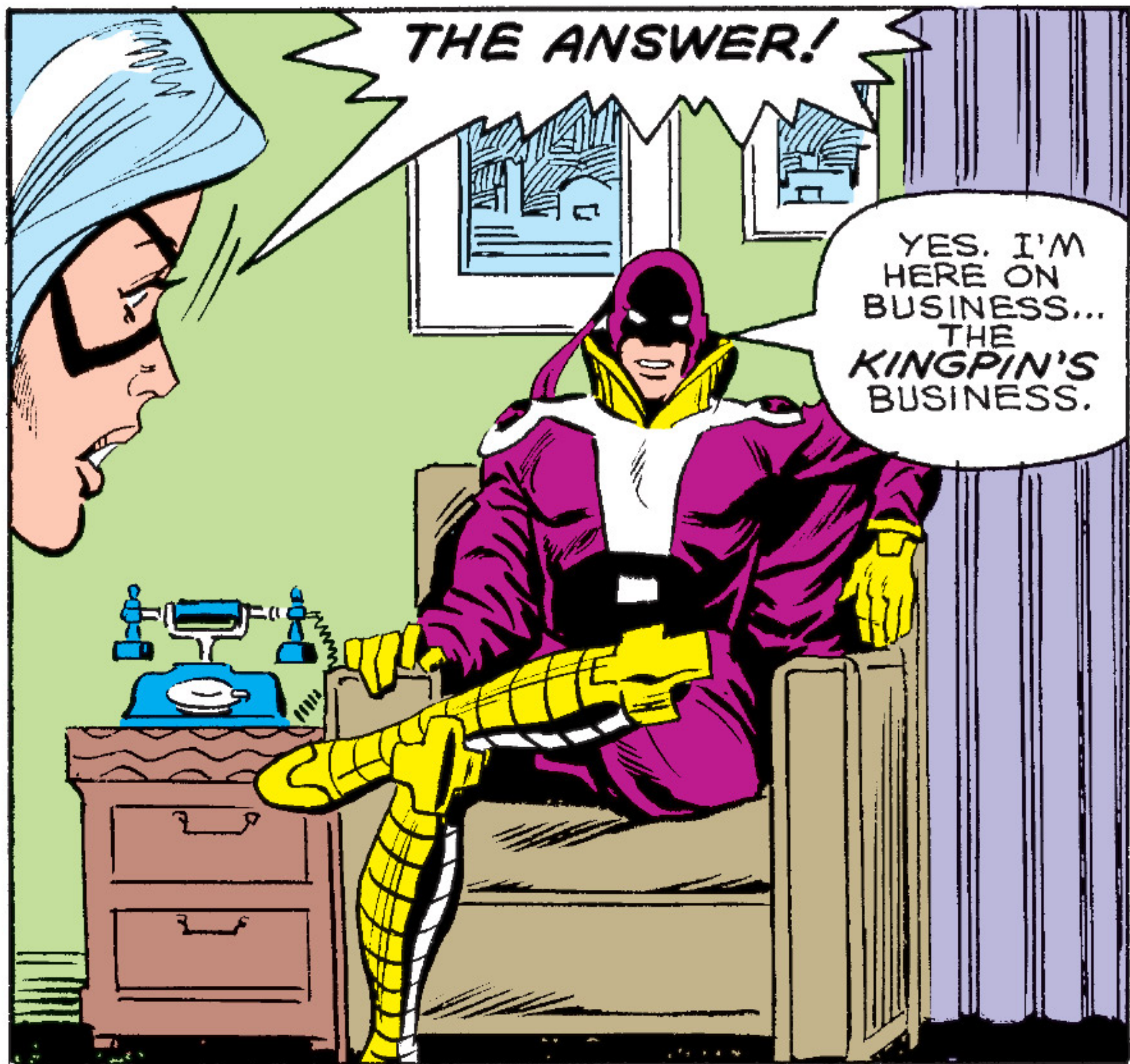
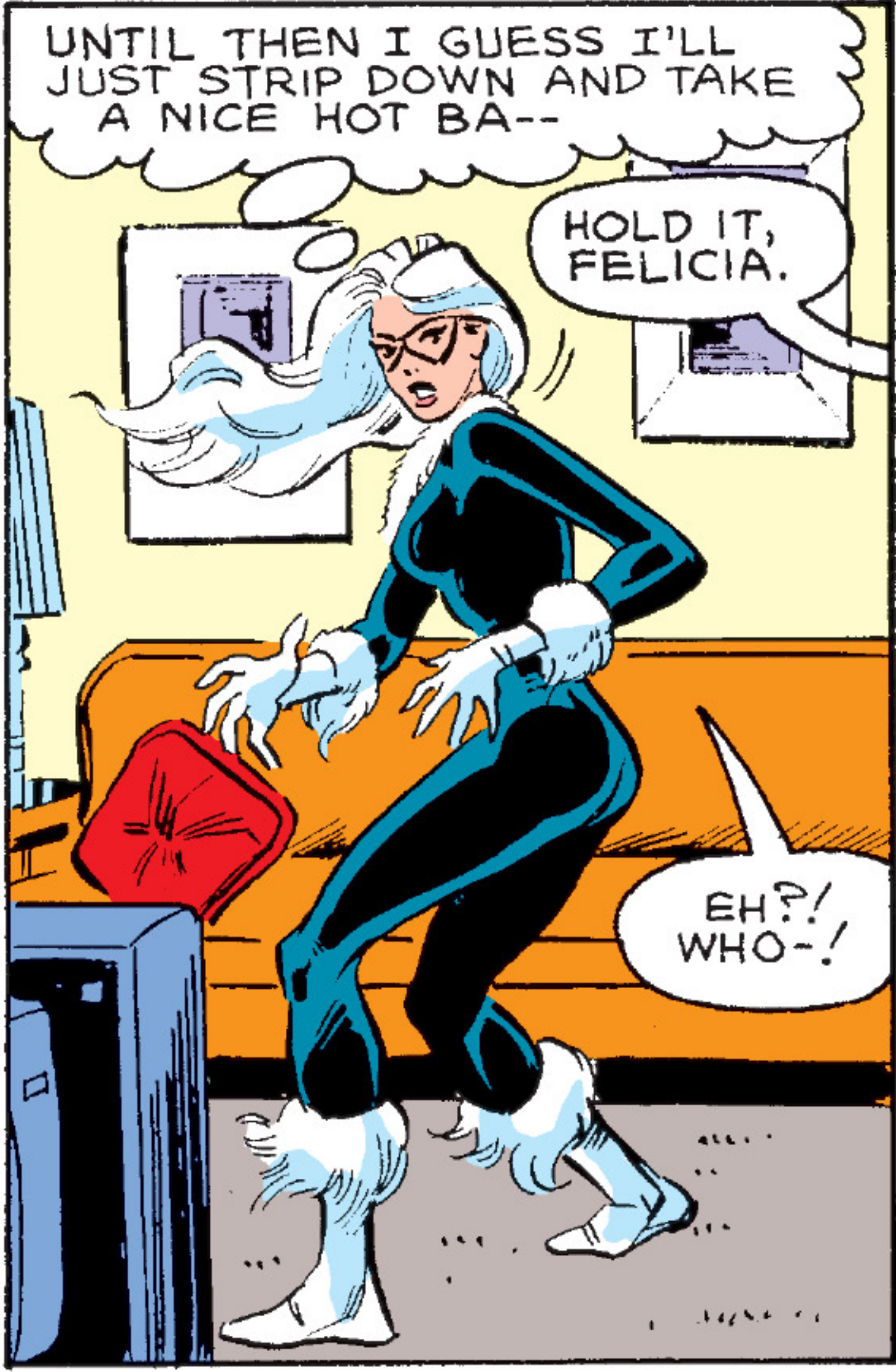


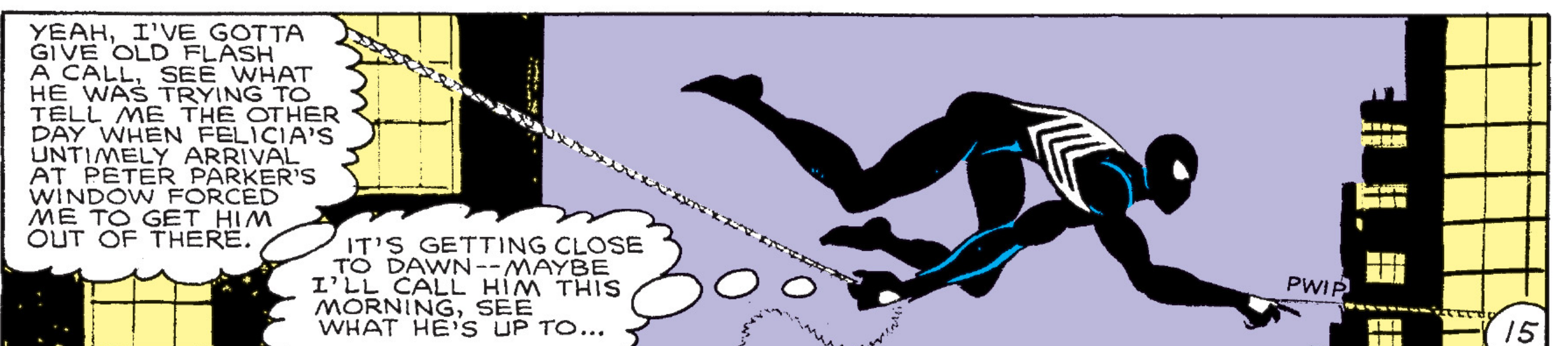
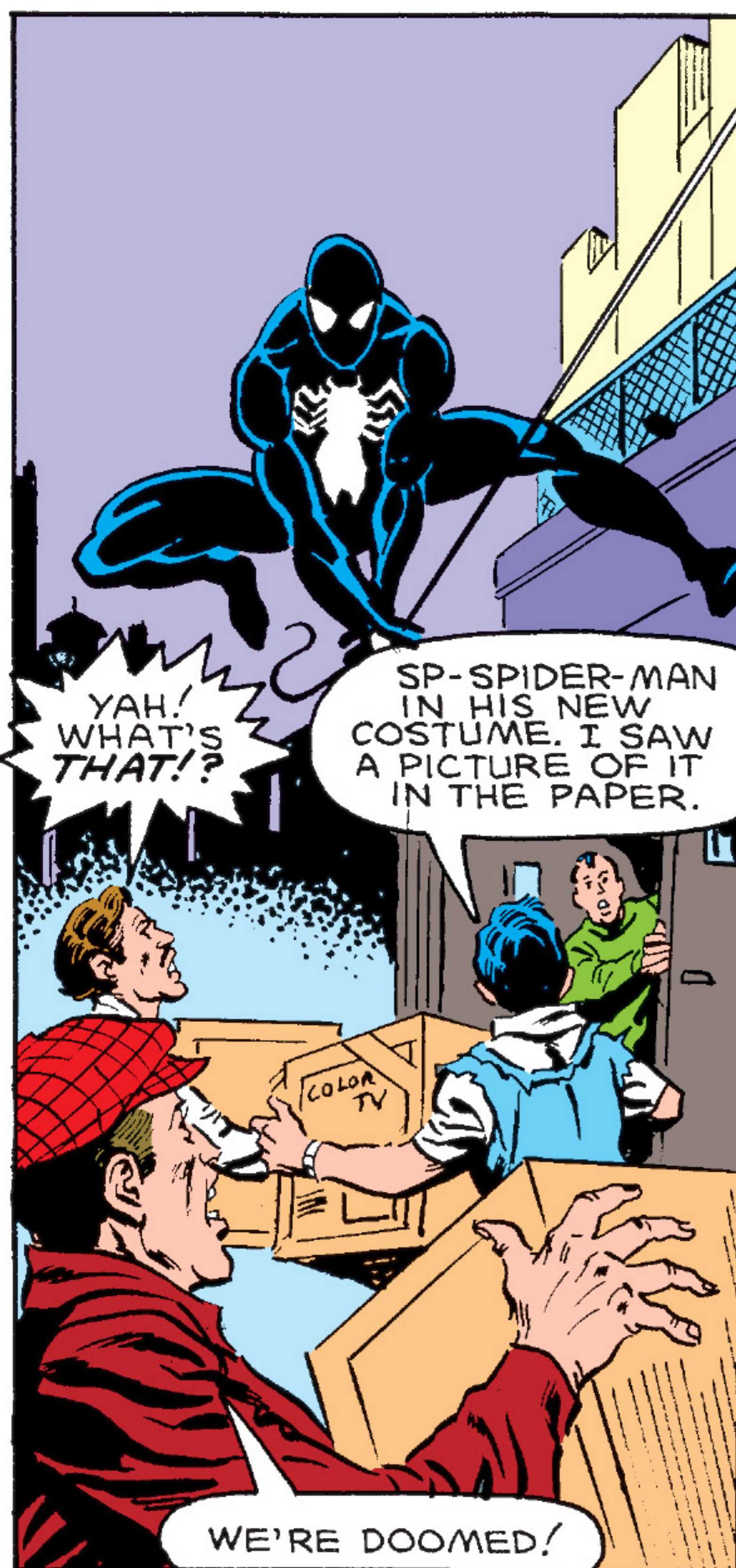
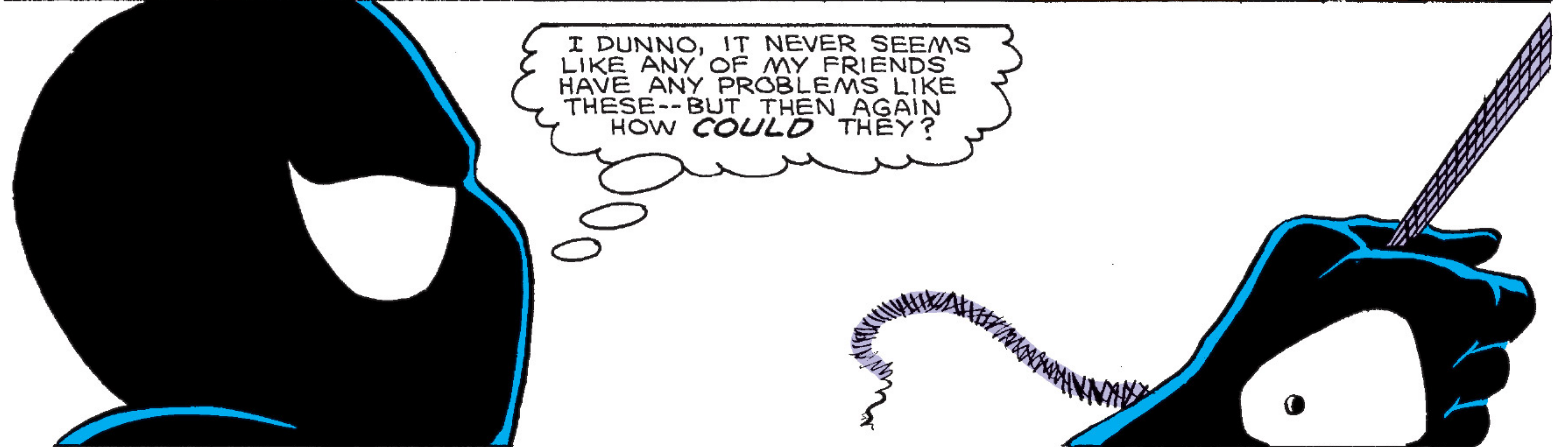
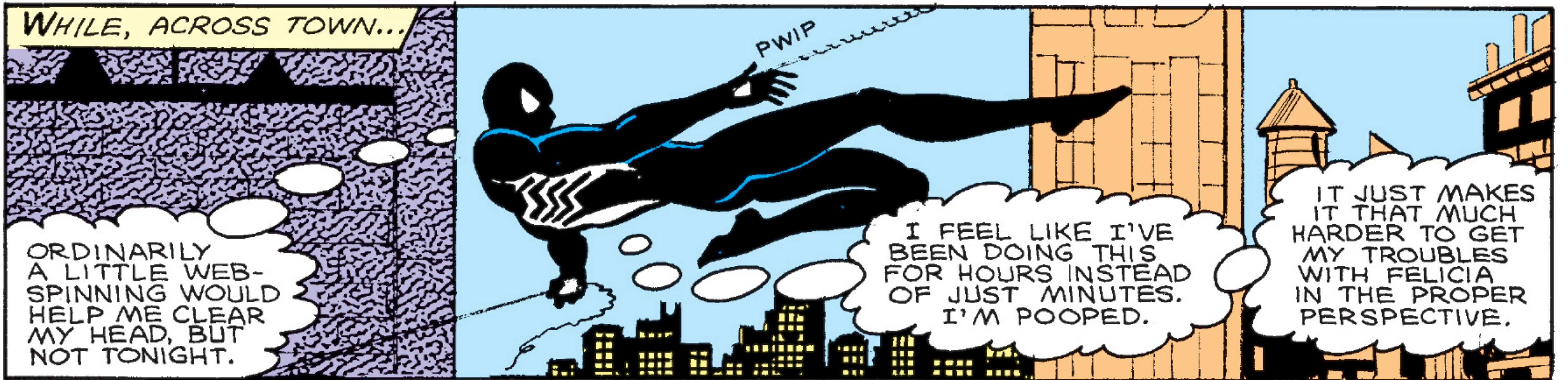


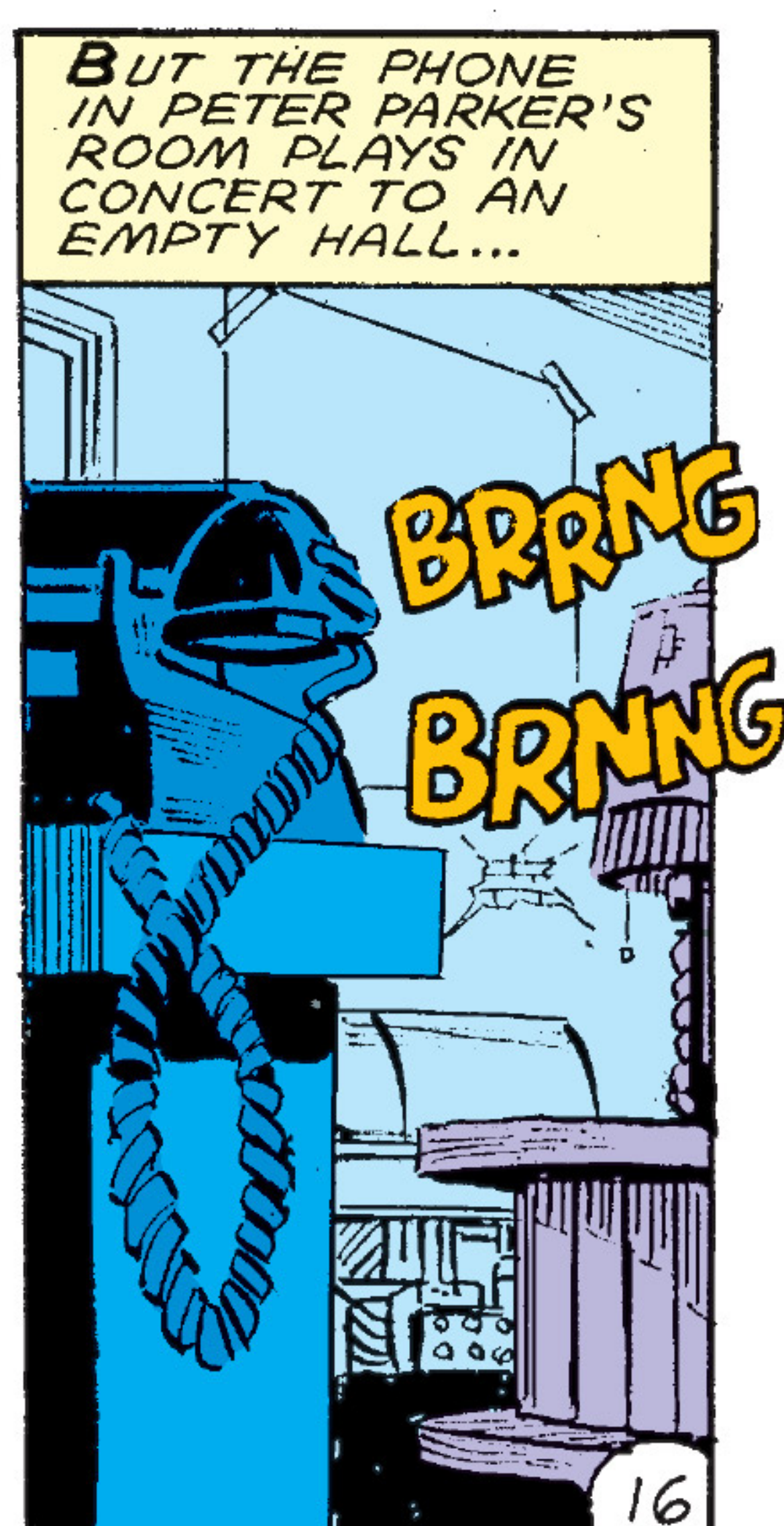
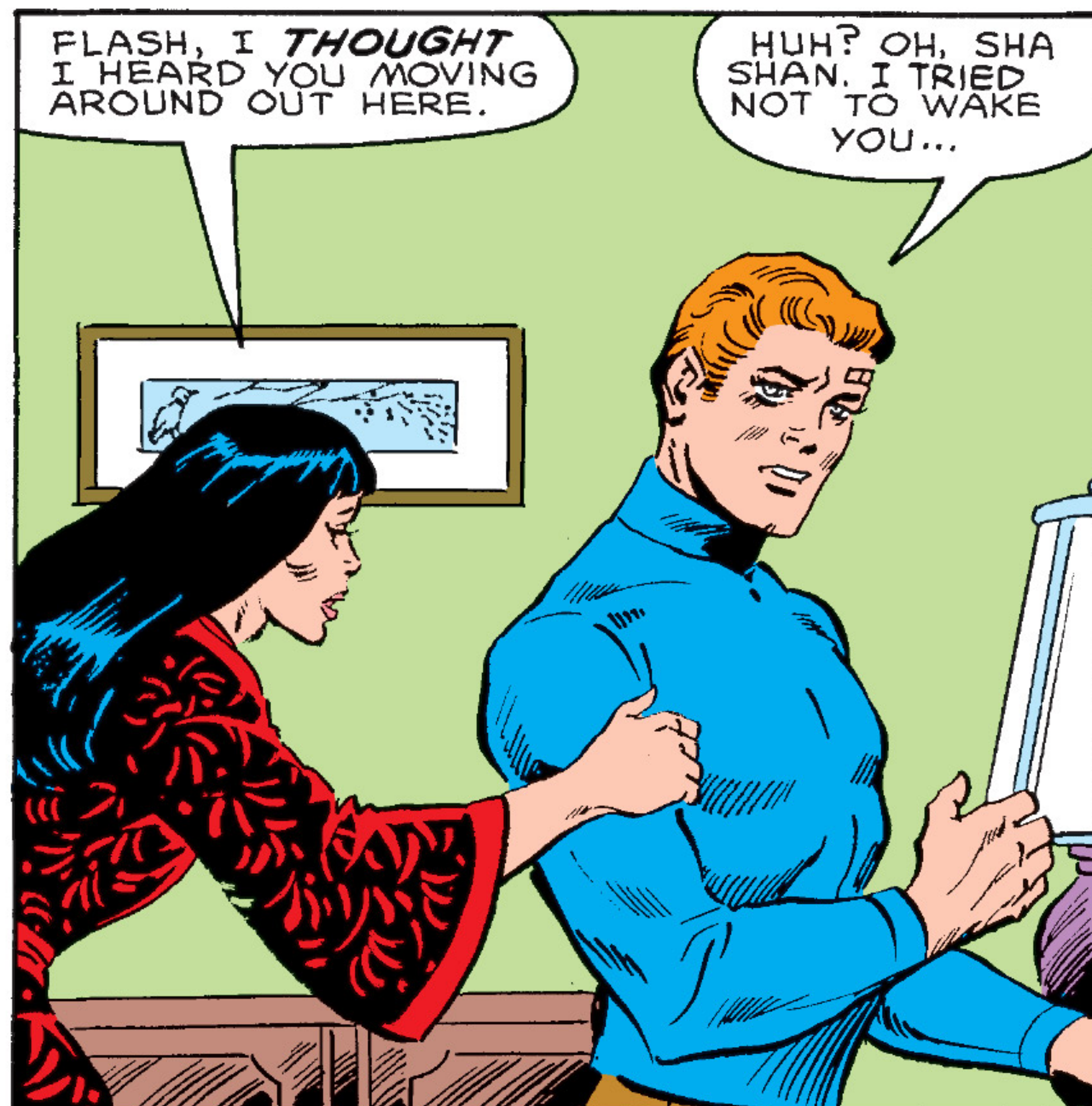
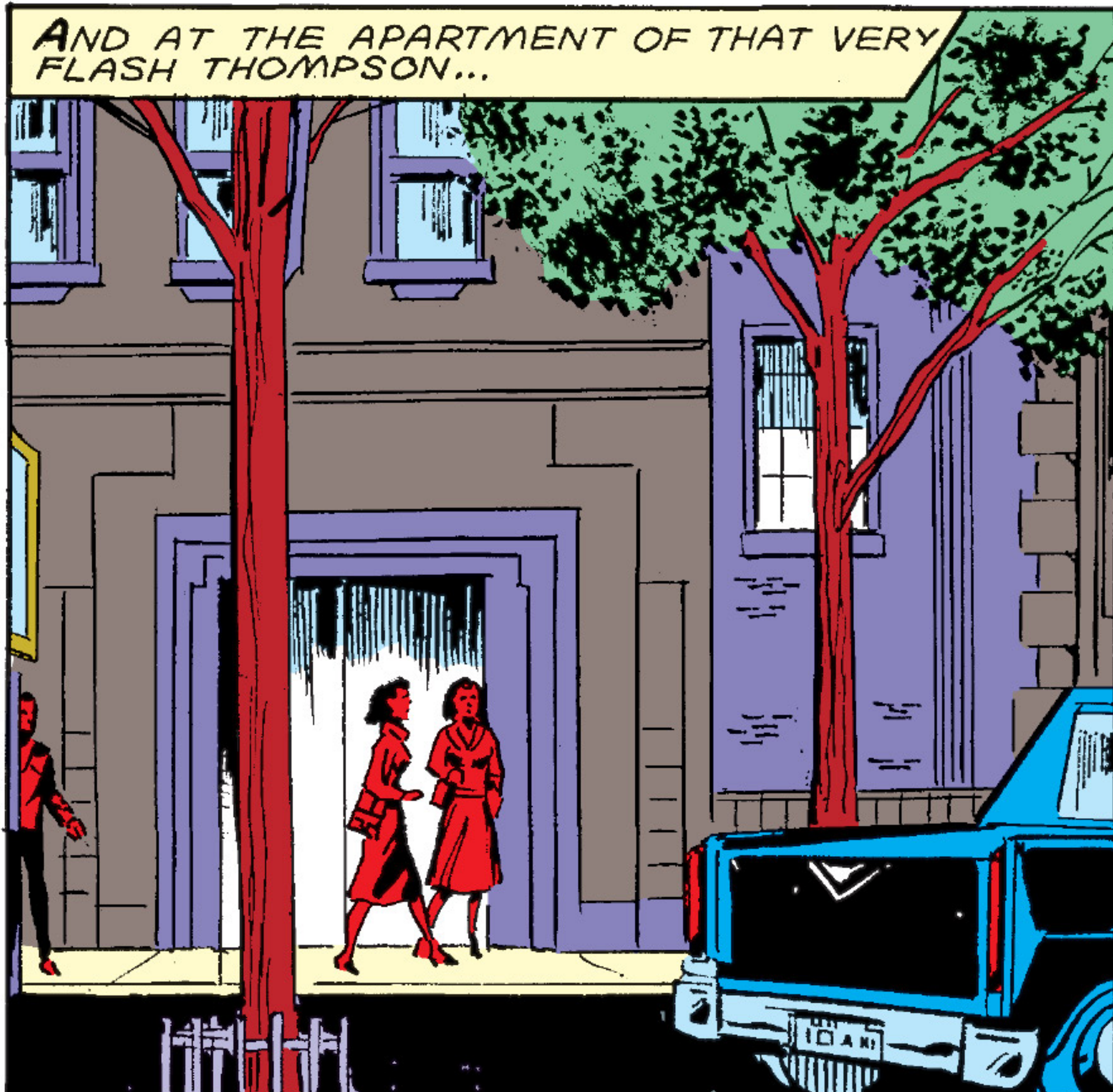


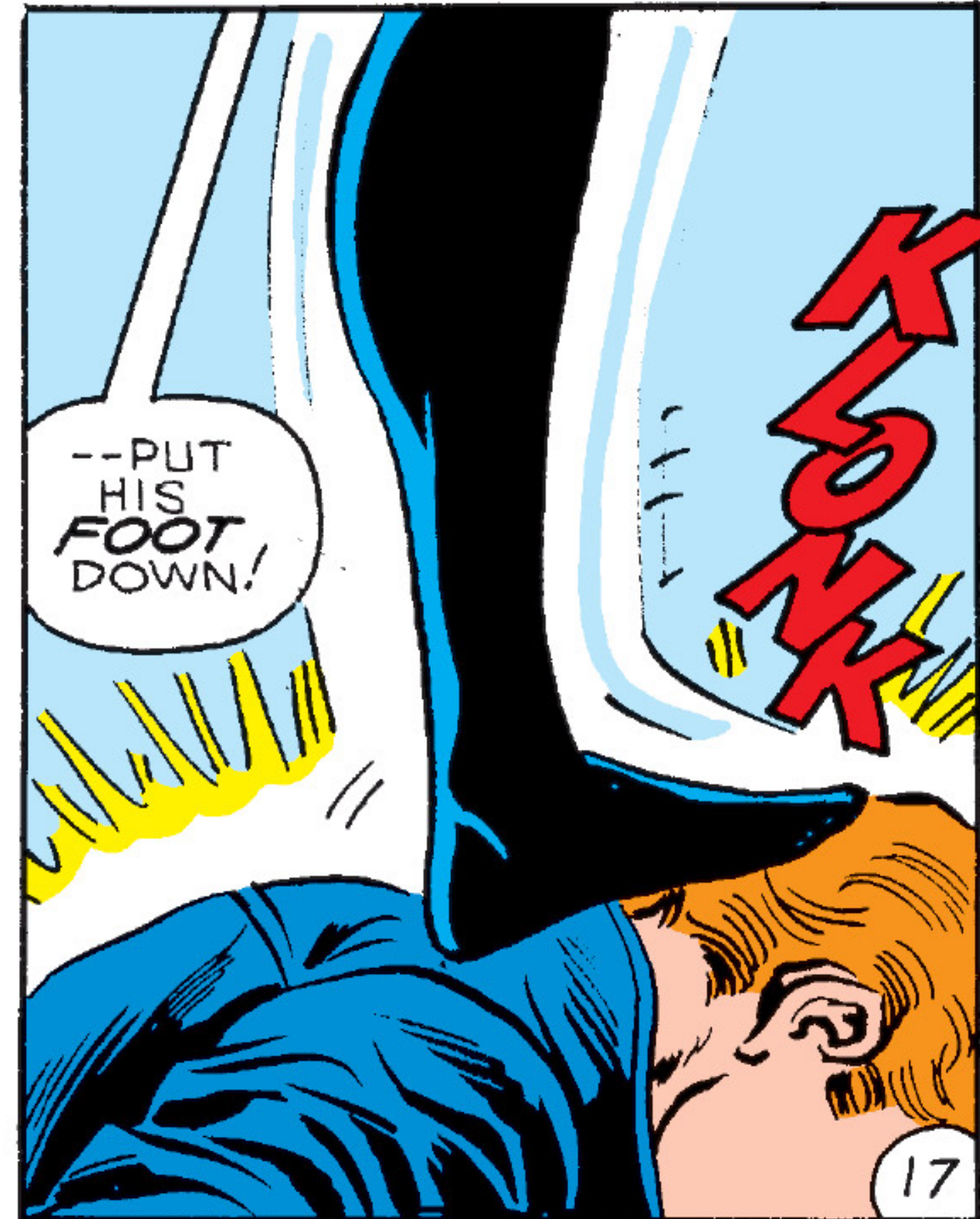
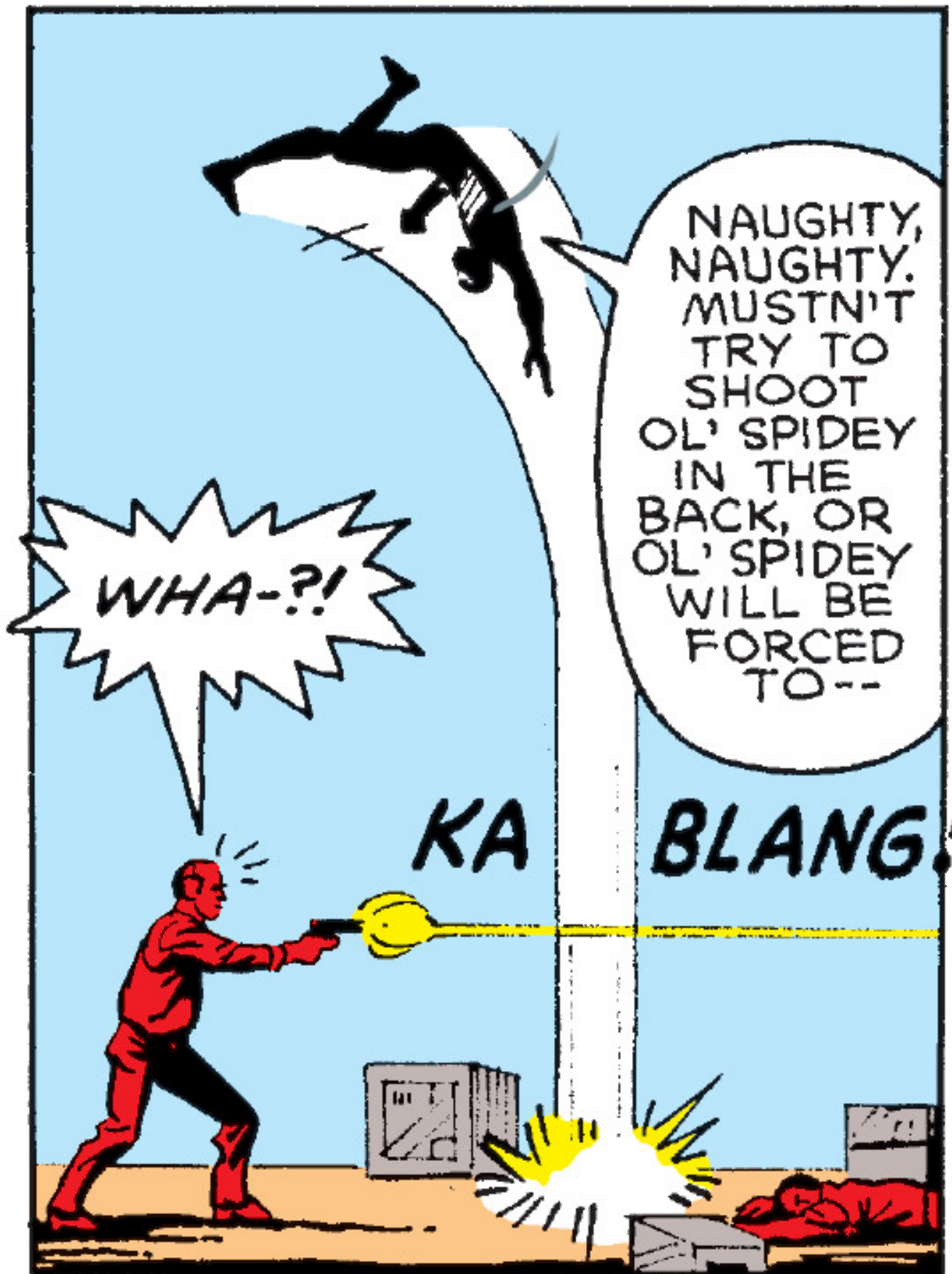
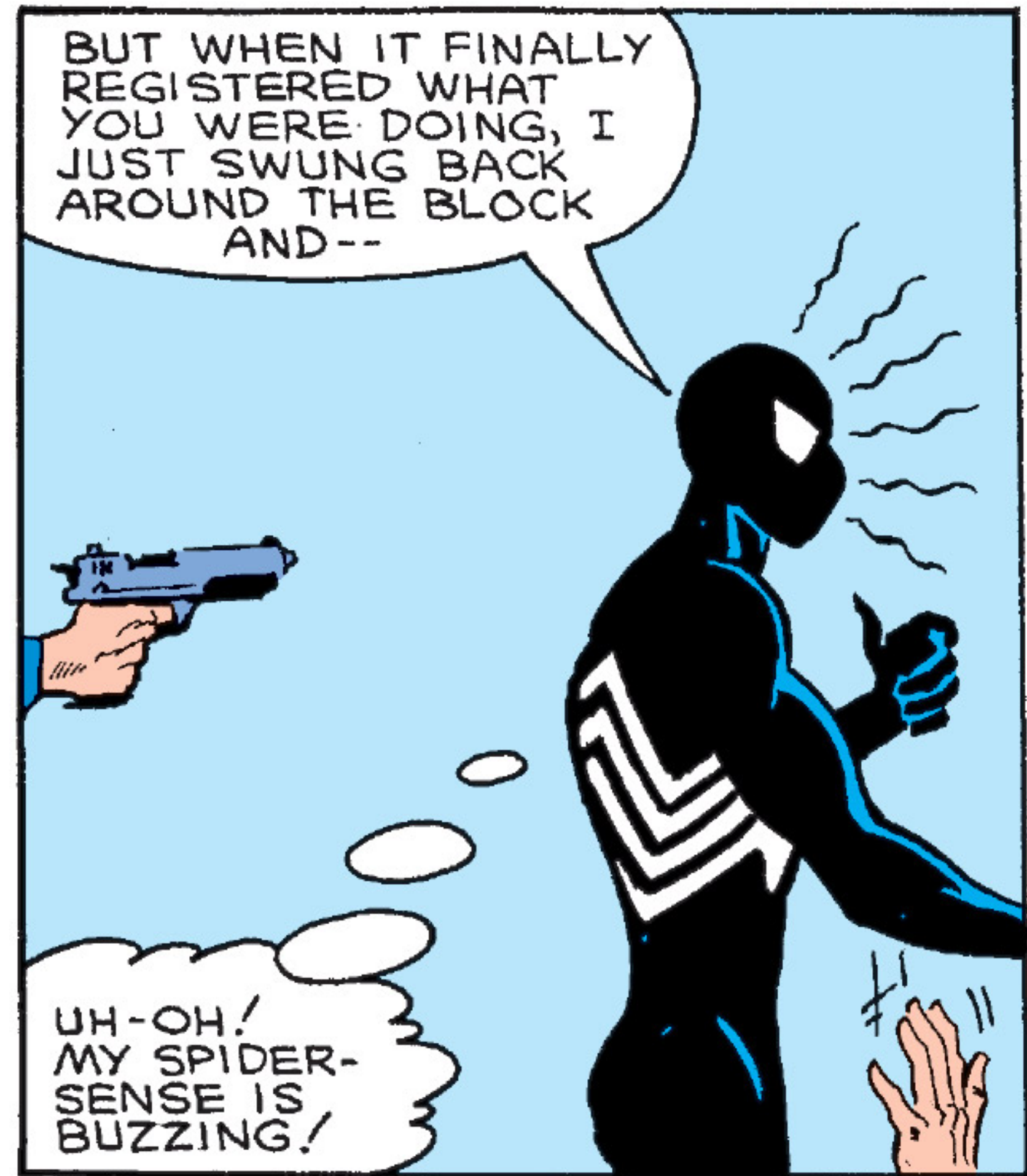
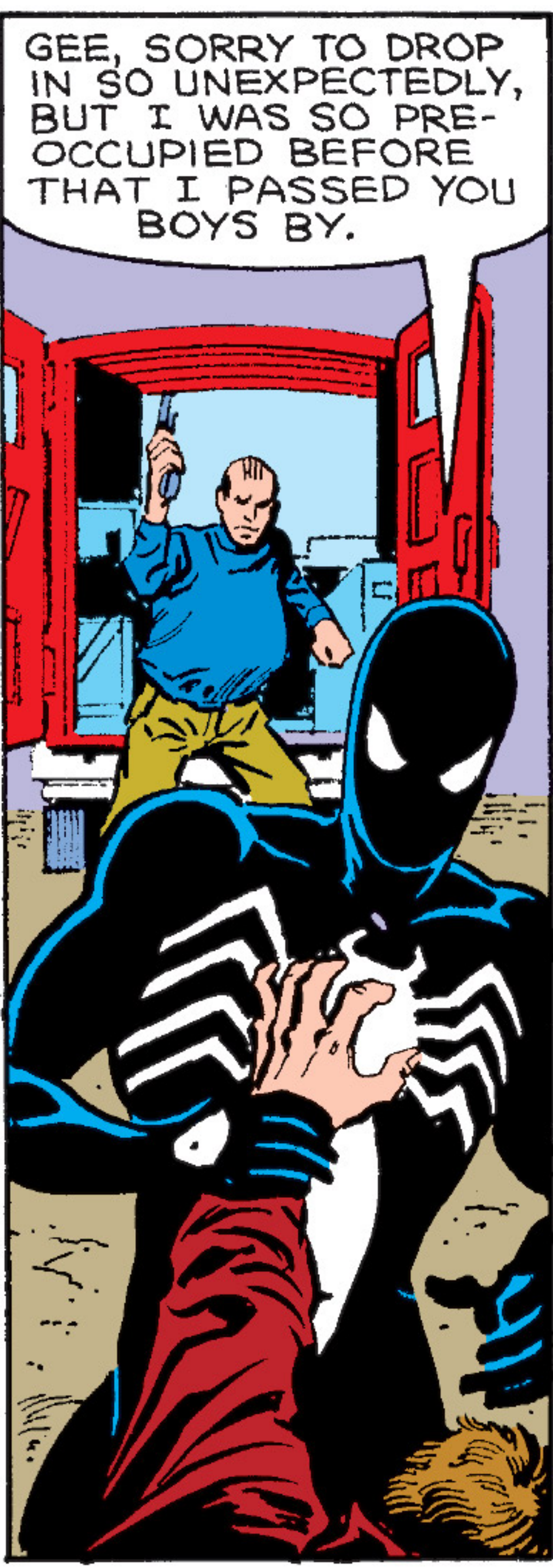
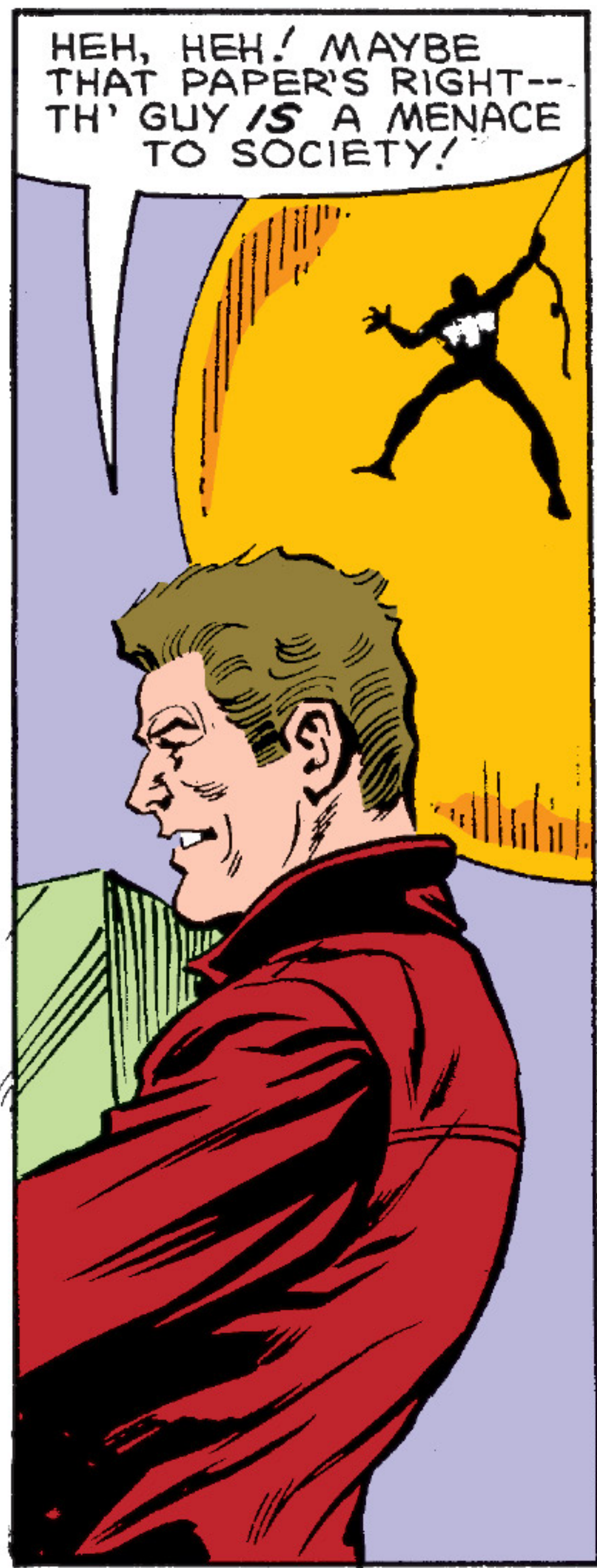
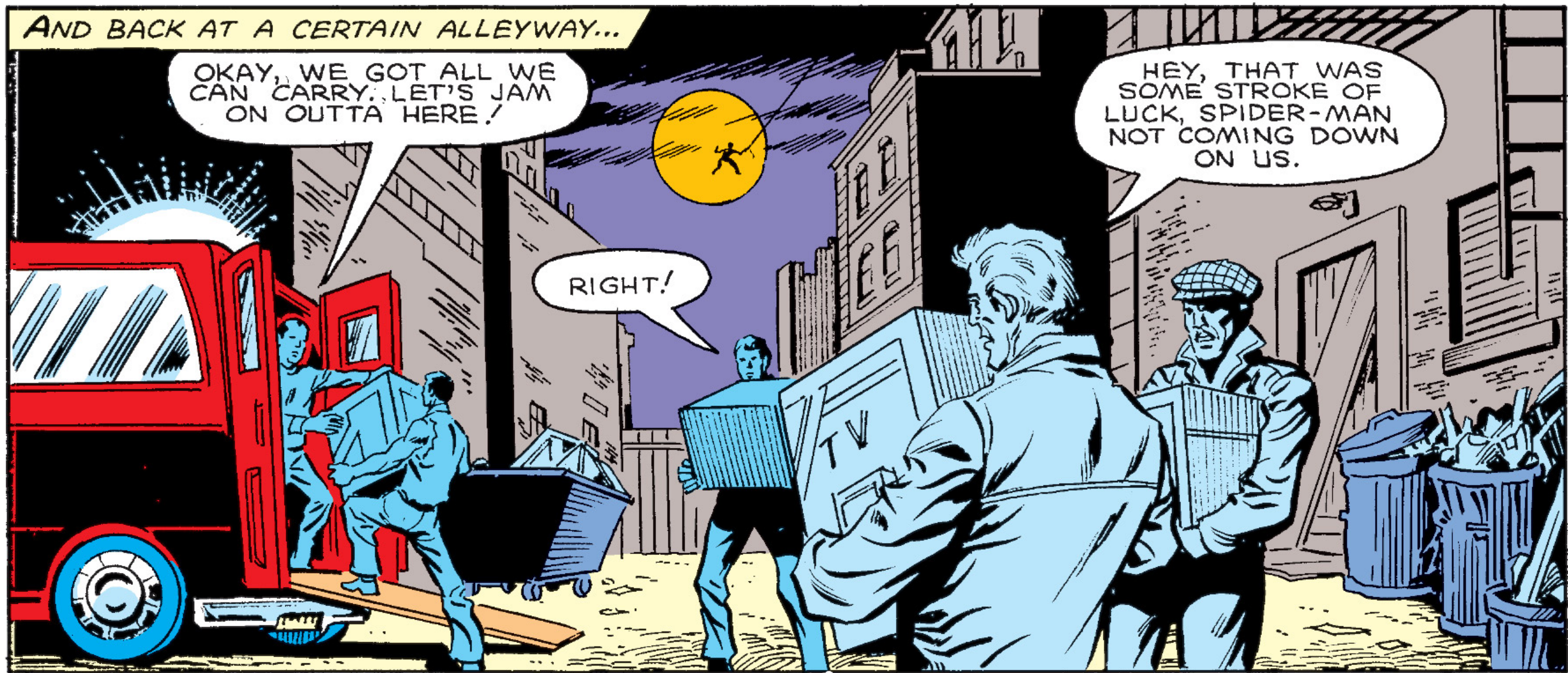


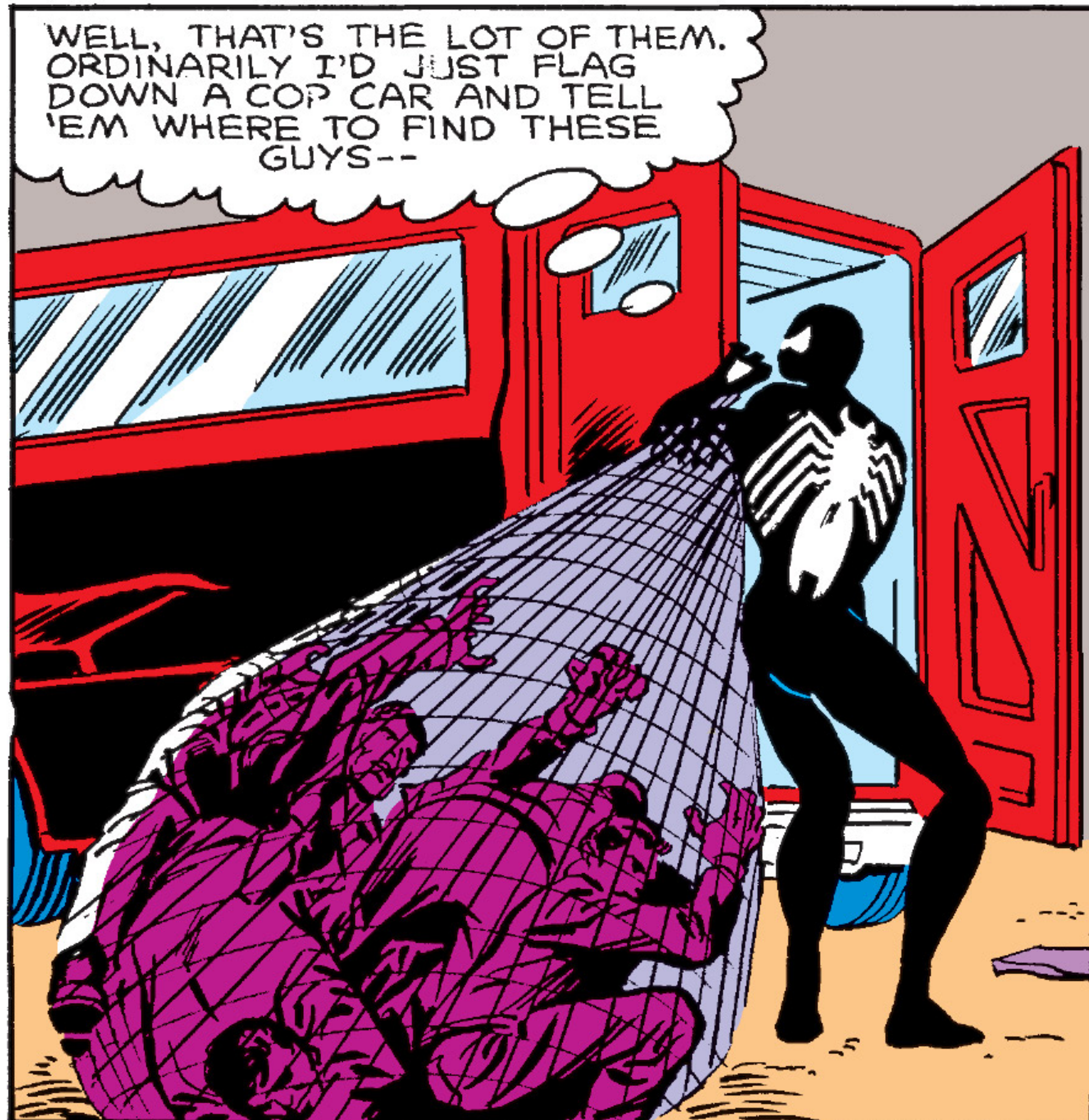




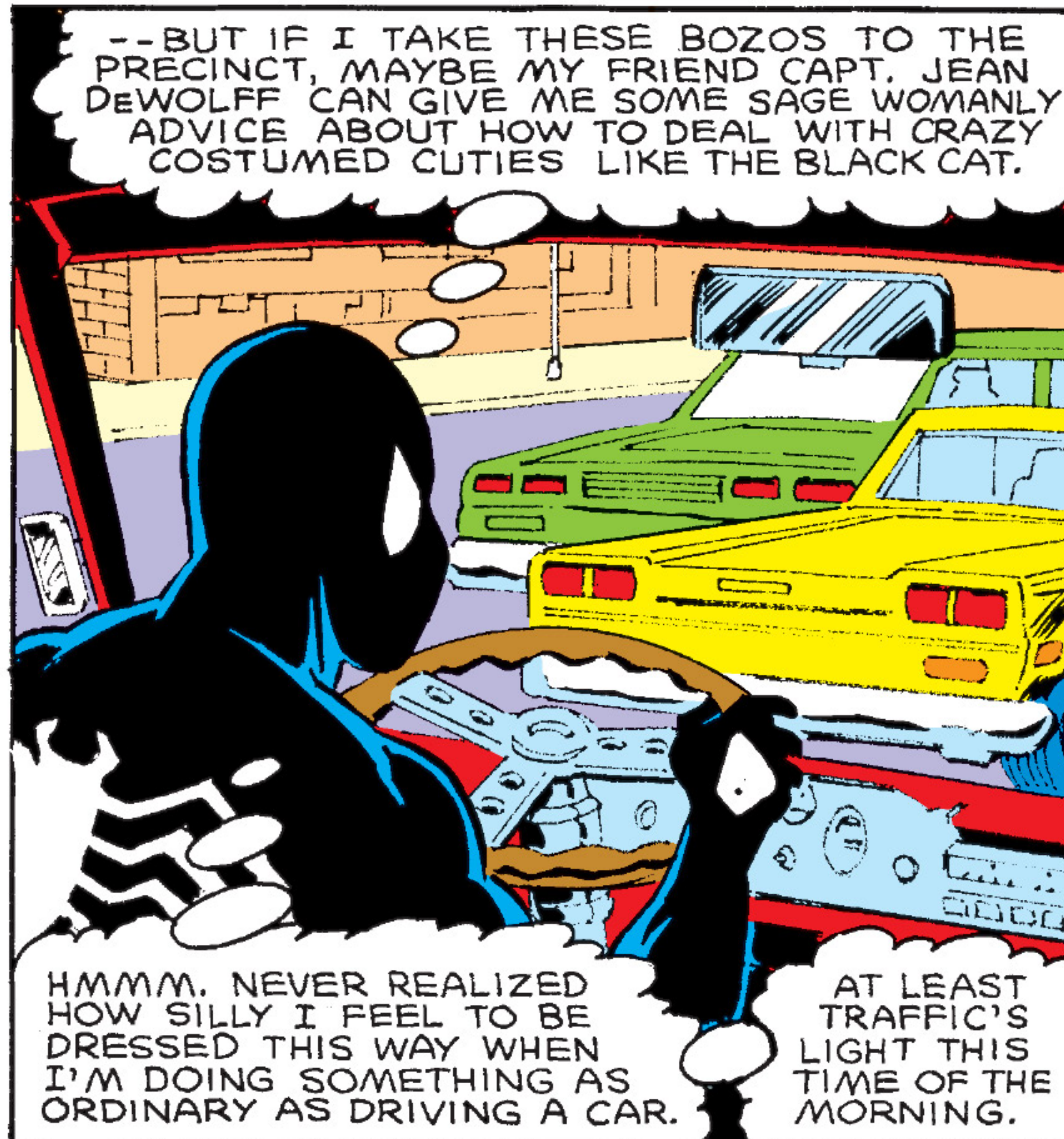








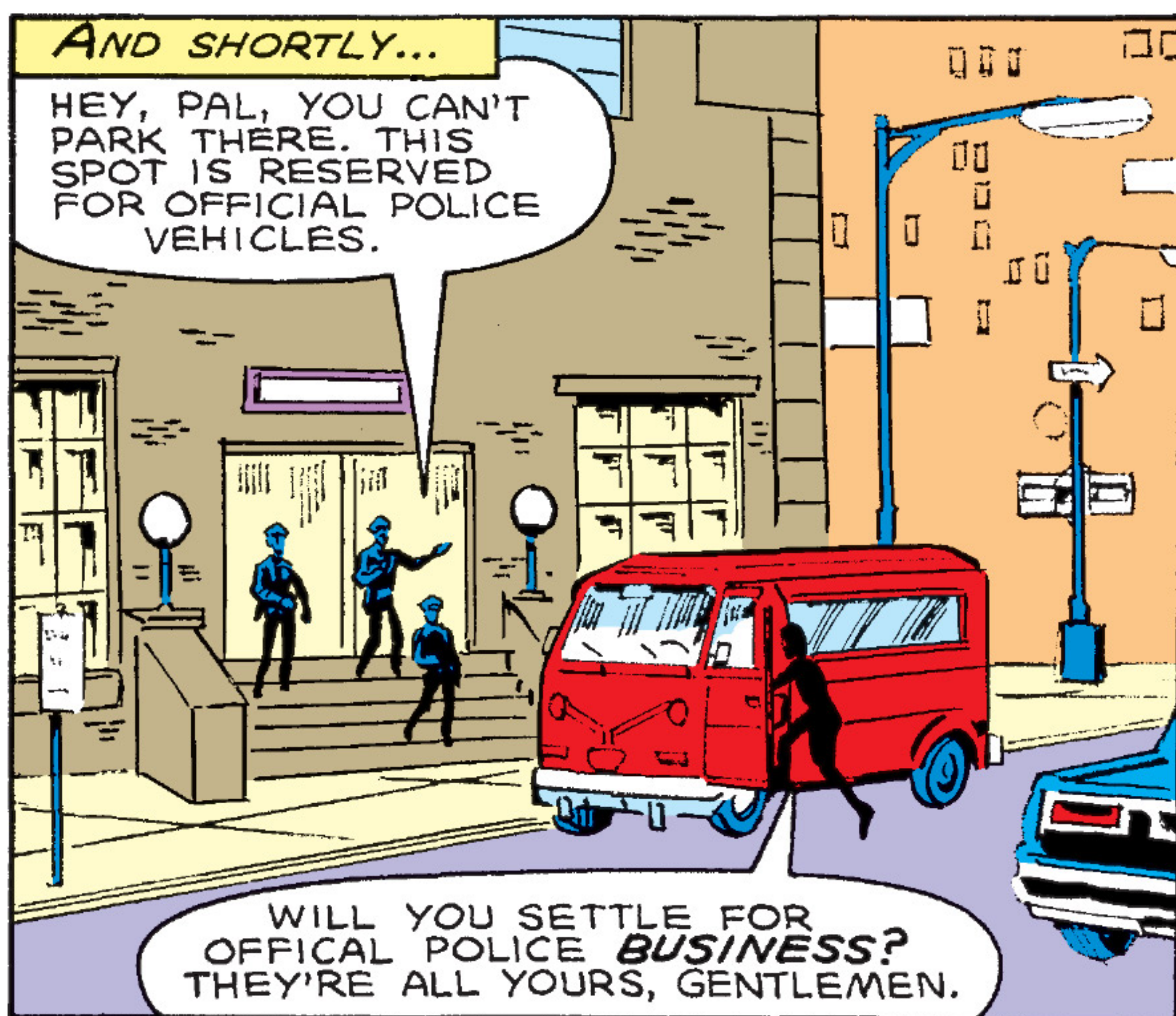
WELL, THAT'S THE LOT OF THEM. ORDINARILY I'D JUST FLAG DOWN A COP CAR AND TELL 'EM WHERE TO FIND THESE GUYS--



--BUT IF I TAKE THESE BOZOS TO THE PRECINCT, MAYBE MY FRIEND CAPT. JEAN DEWOLFF CAN GIVE ME SOME SAGE WOMANLY ADVICE ABOUT HOW TO DEAL WITH CRAZY COSTUMED CUTIES LIKE THE BLACK CAT.

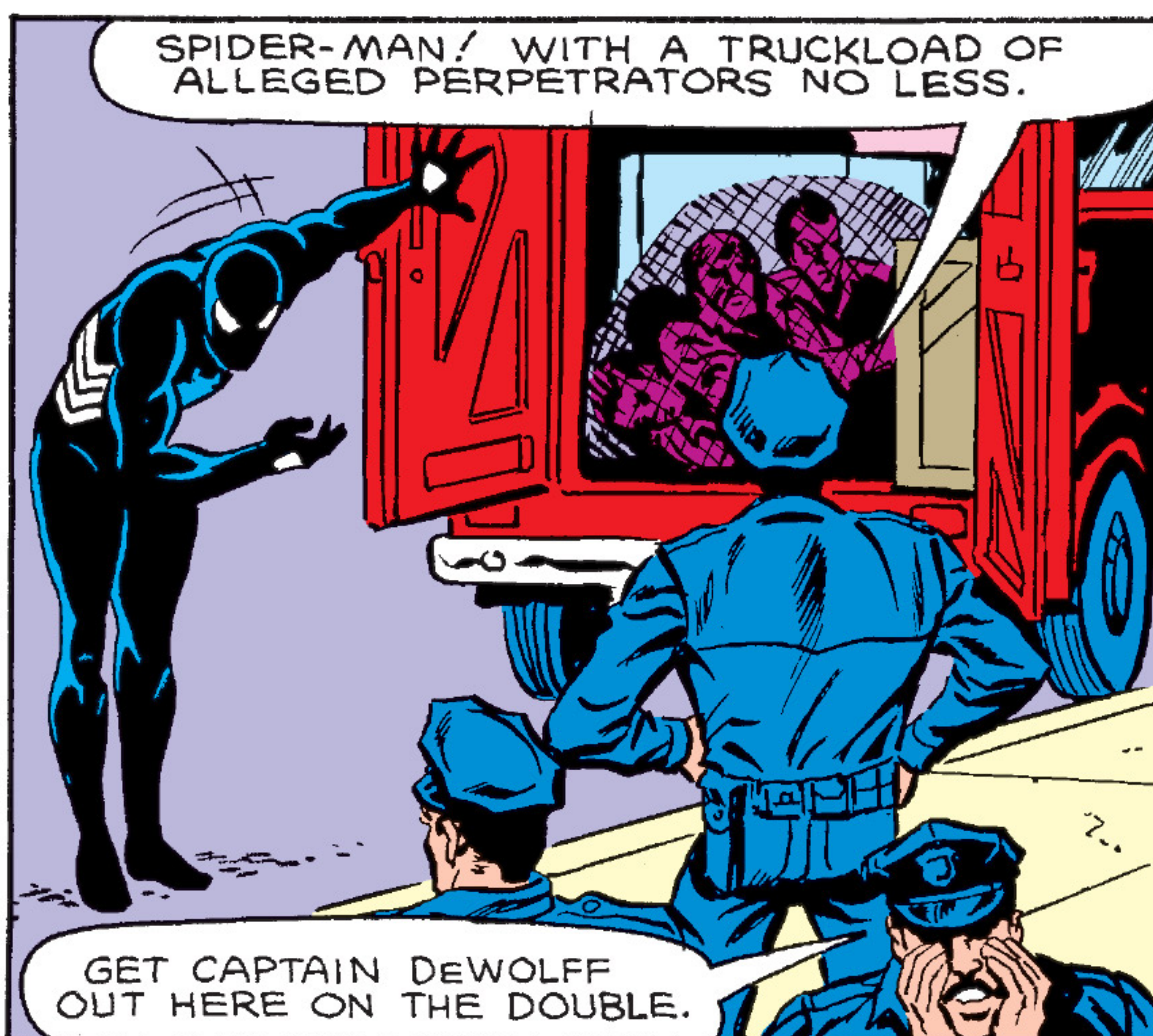
HMMM. NEVER REALIZED HOW SILLY I FEEL TO BE DRESSED THIS WAY WHEN I'M DOING SOMETHING AS ORDINARY AS DRIVING A CAR.

AT LEAST TRAFFIC'S LIGHT THIS TIME OF THE MORNING.



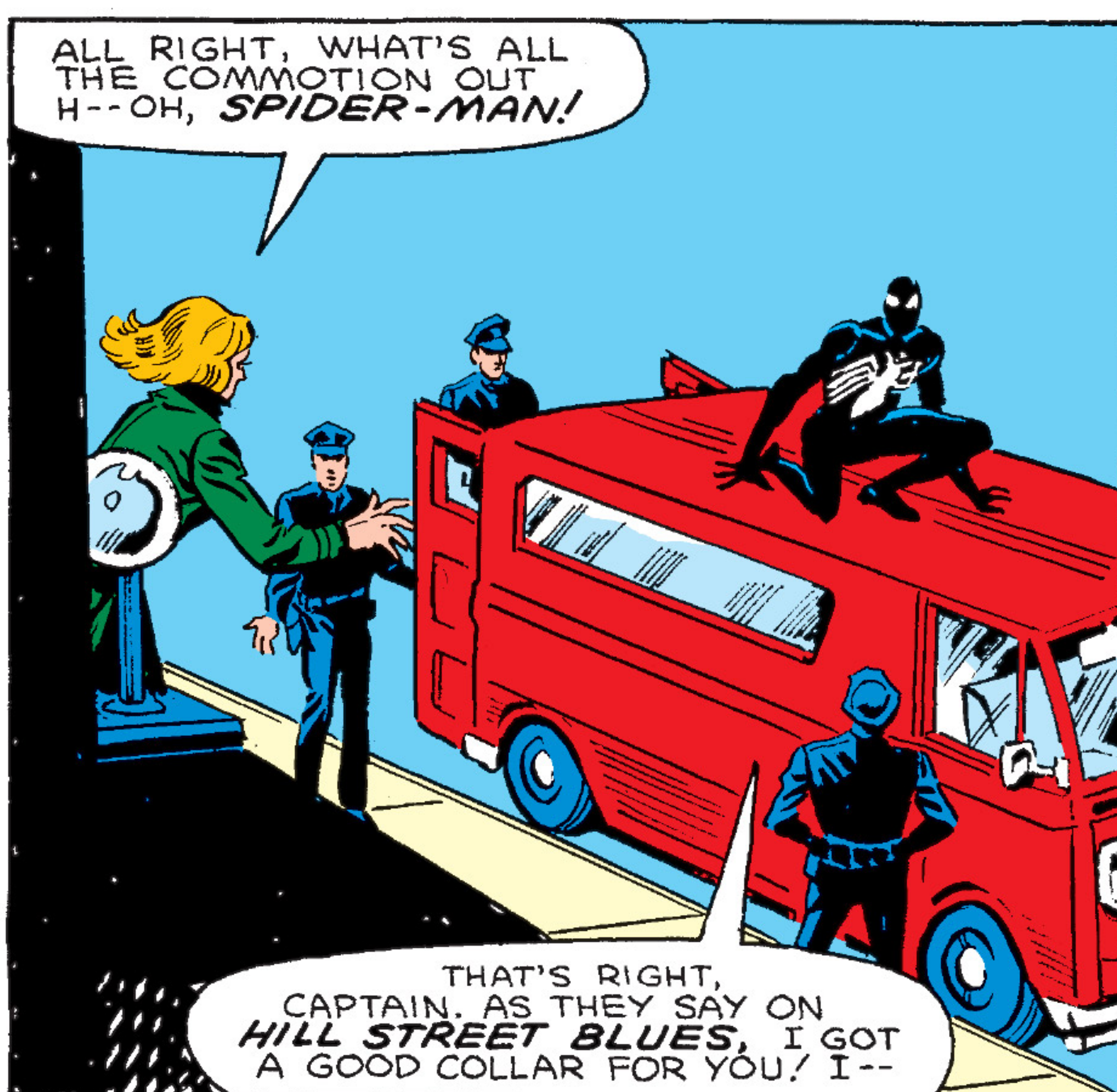
AND SHORTLY...
HEY, PAL, YOU CAN'T PARK THERE. THIS SPOT IS RESERVED FOR OFFICIAL POLICE VEHICLES.

WILL YOU SETTLE FOR OFFICIAL POLICE *BUSINESS*? THEY'RE ALL YOURS, GENTLEMEN.



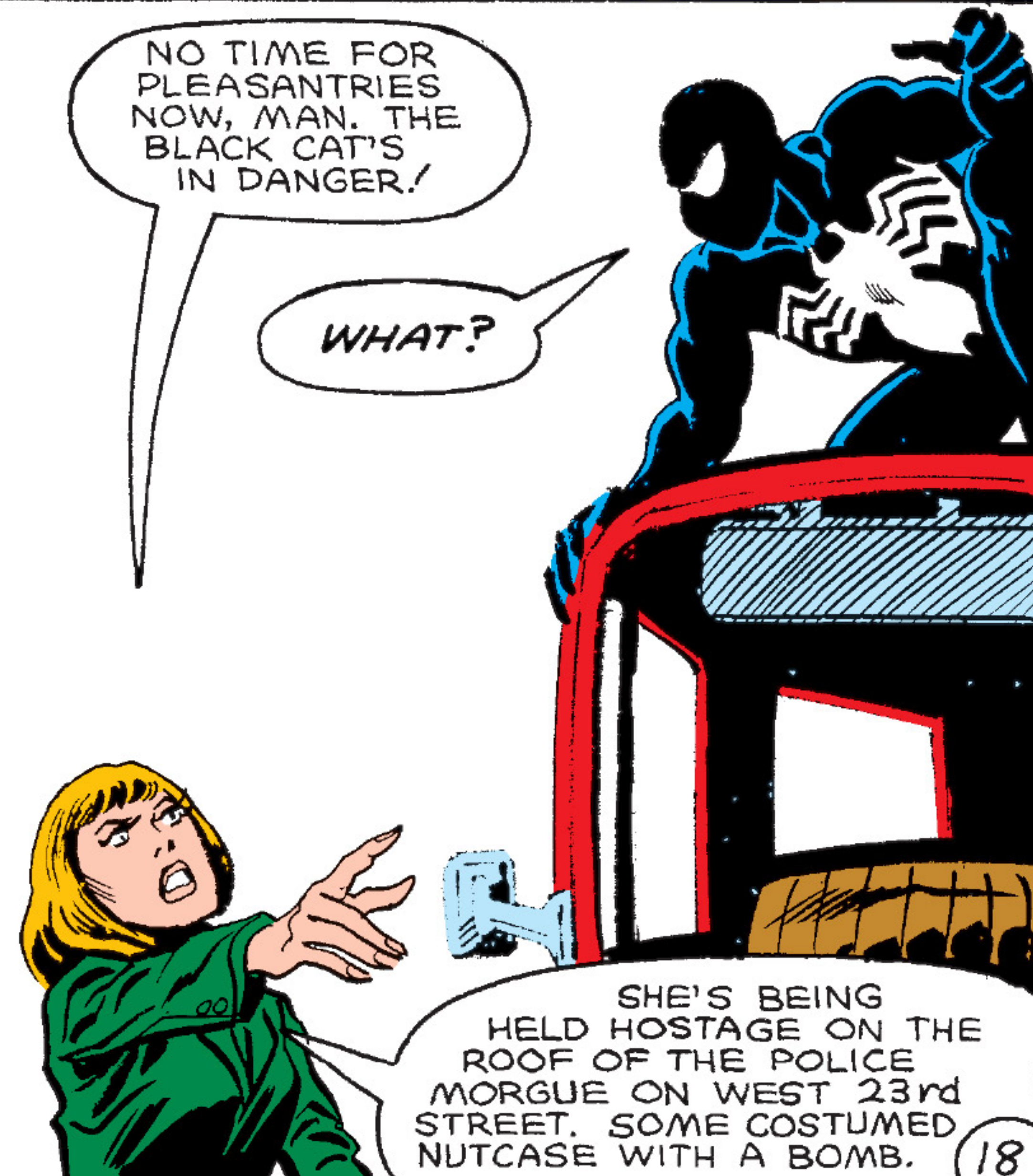
SPIDER-MAN! WITH A TRUCKLOAD OF ALLEGED PERPETRATORS NO LESS.

GET CAPTAIN DEWOLFF OUT HERE ON THE DOUBLE.



ALL RIGHT, WHAT'S ALL THE COMMOTION OUT H--OH, *SPIDER-MAN*!

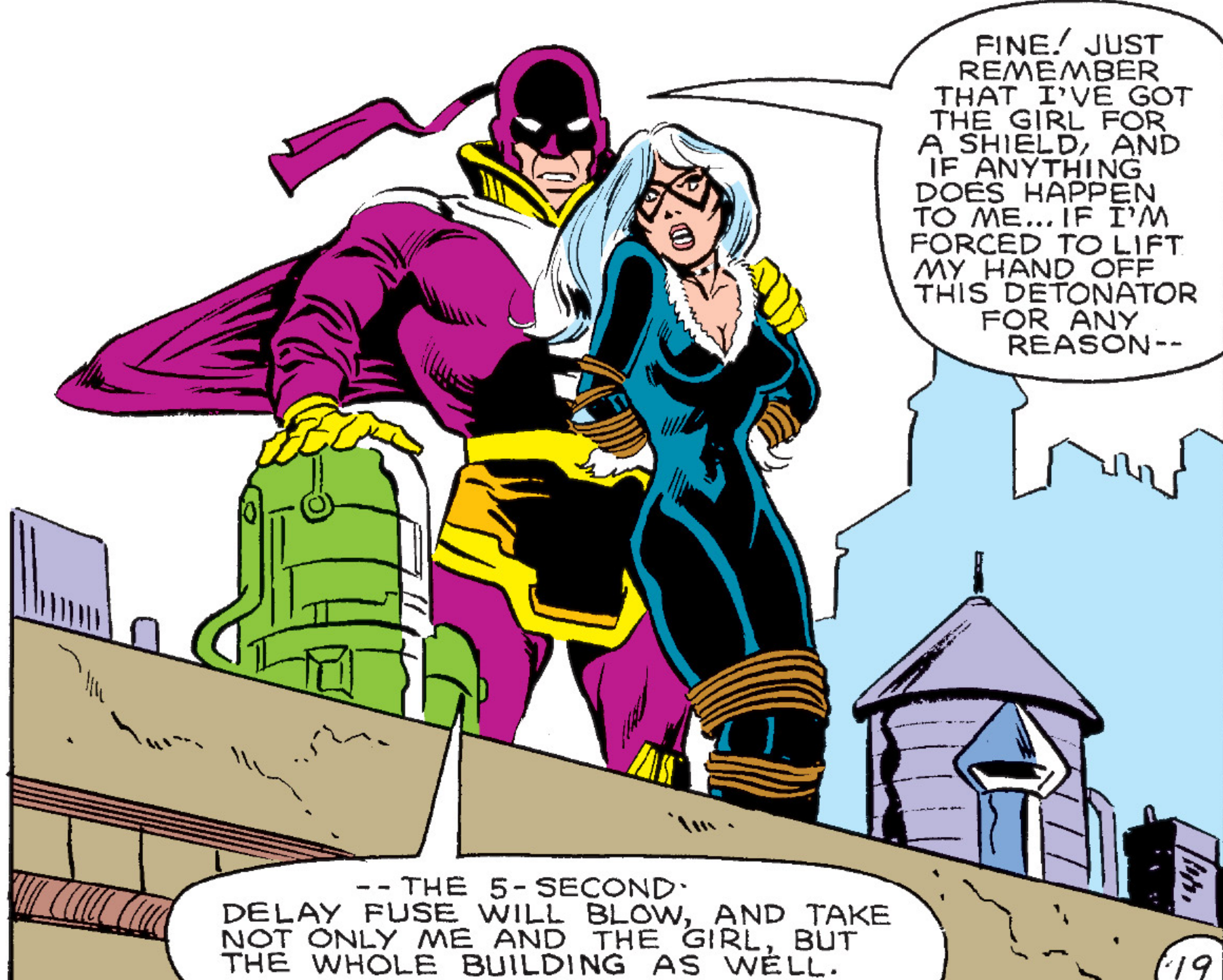
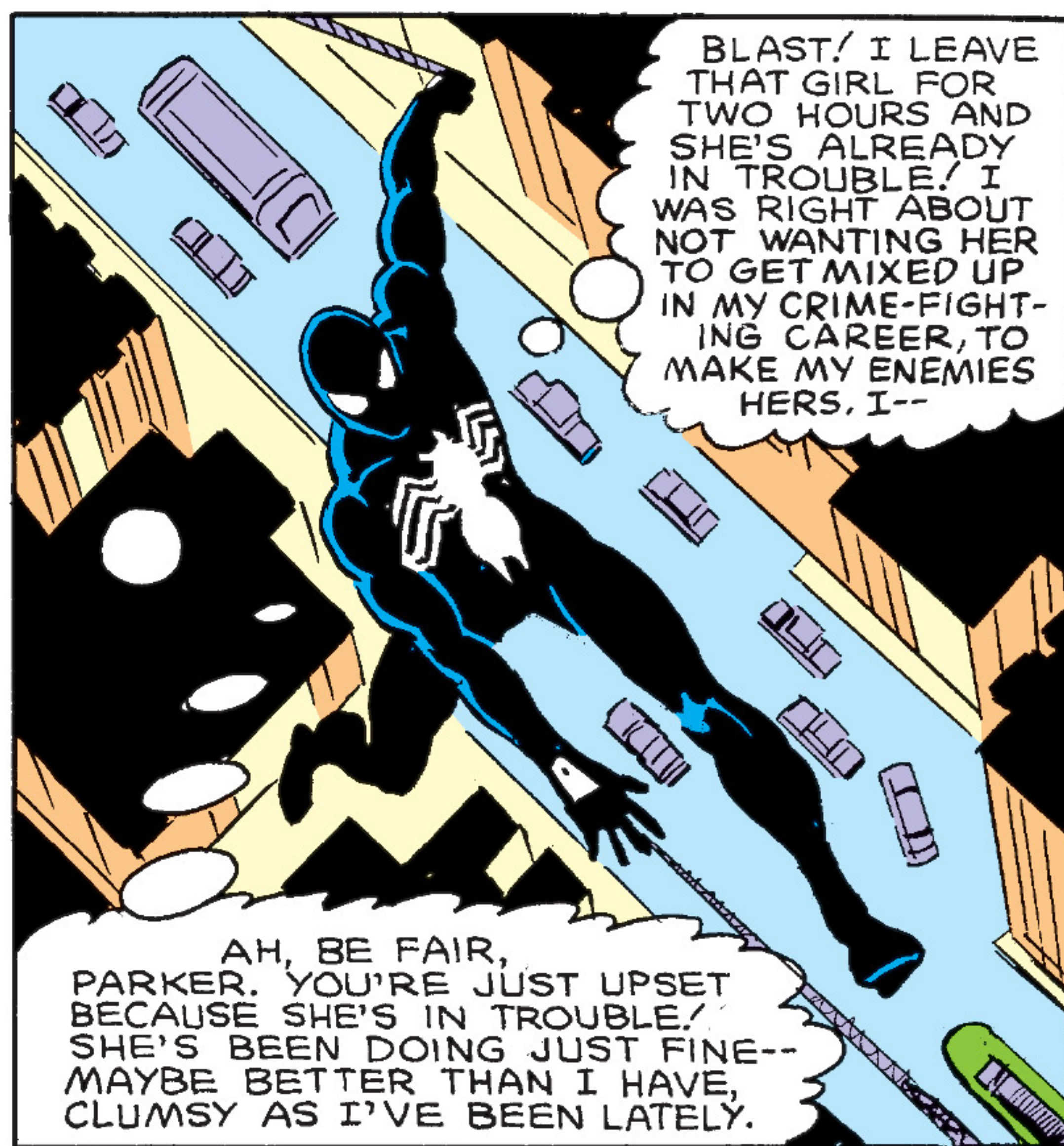
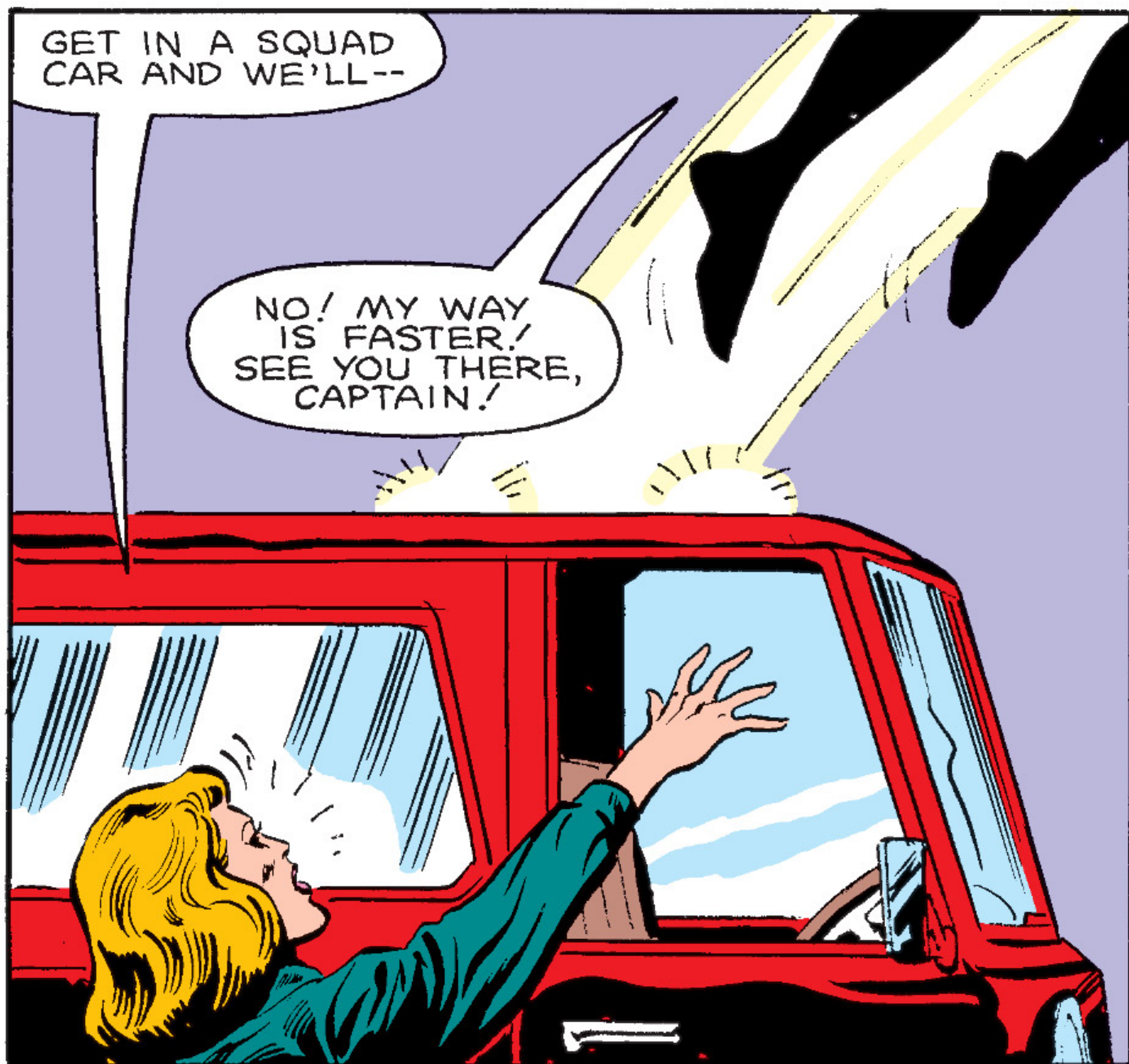
THAT'S RIGHT, CAPTAIN. AS THEY SAY ON *HILL STREET BLUES*, I GOT A GOOD COLLAR FOR YOU! I--

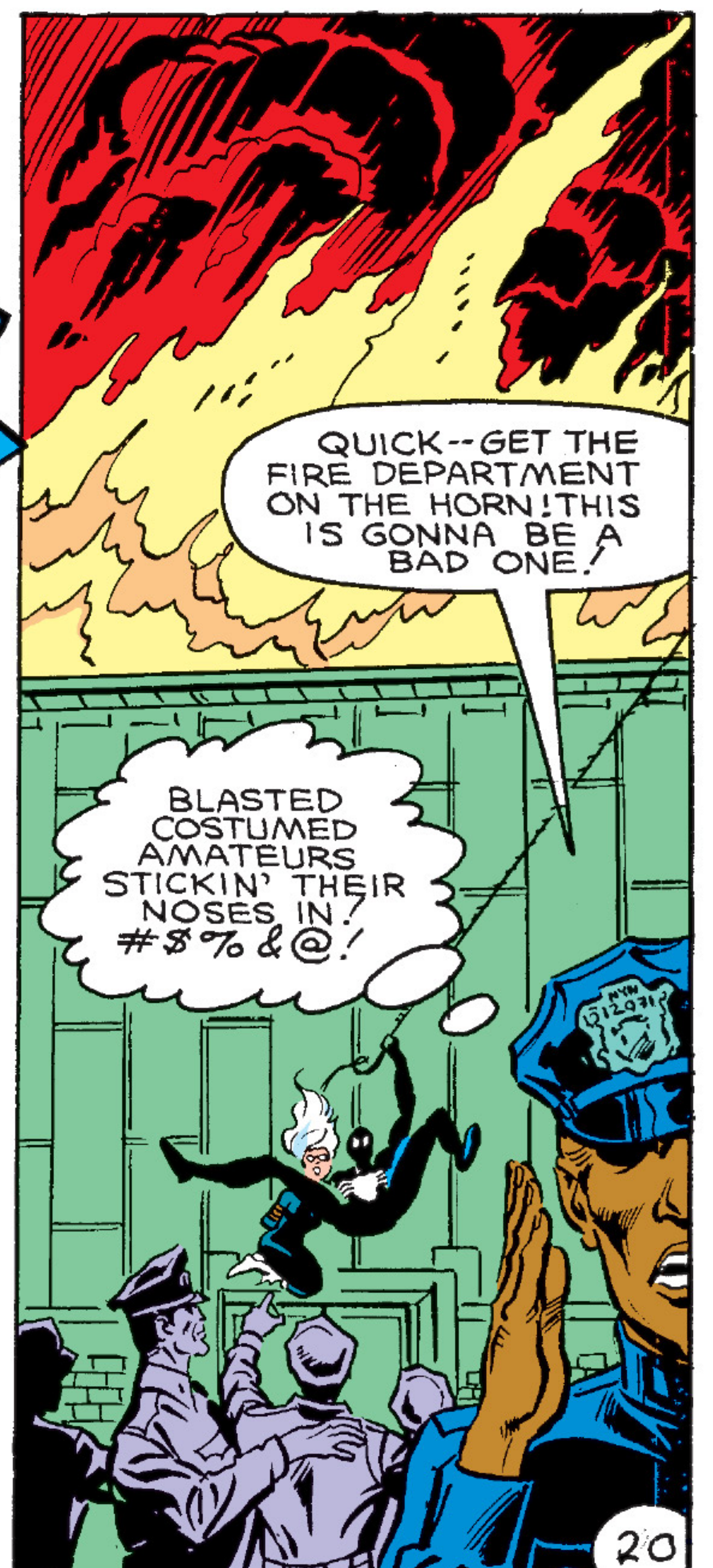
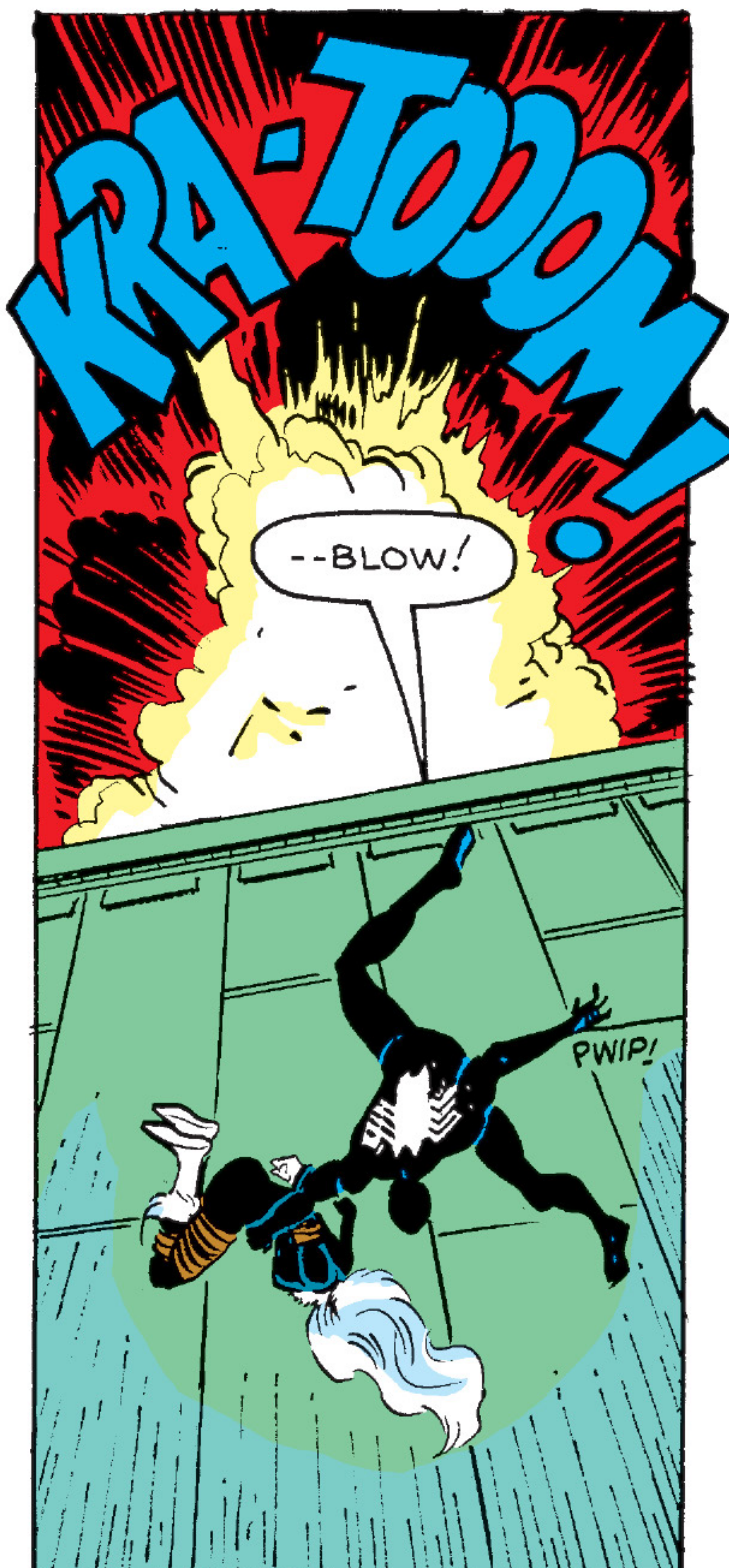
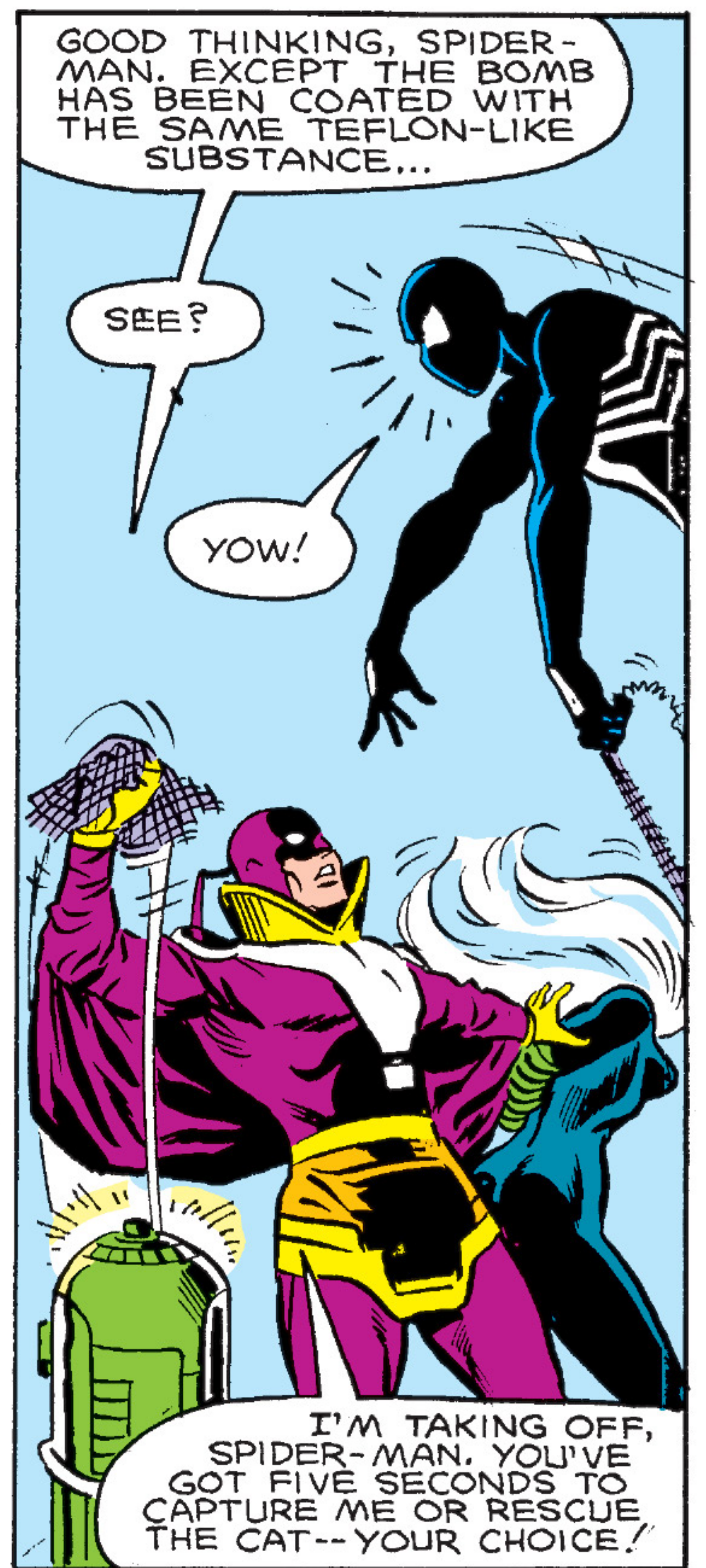
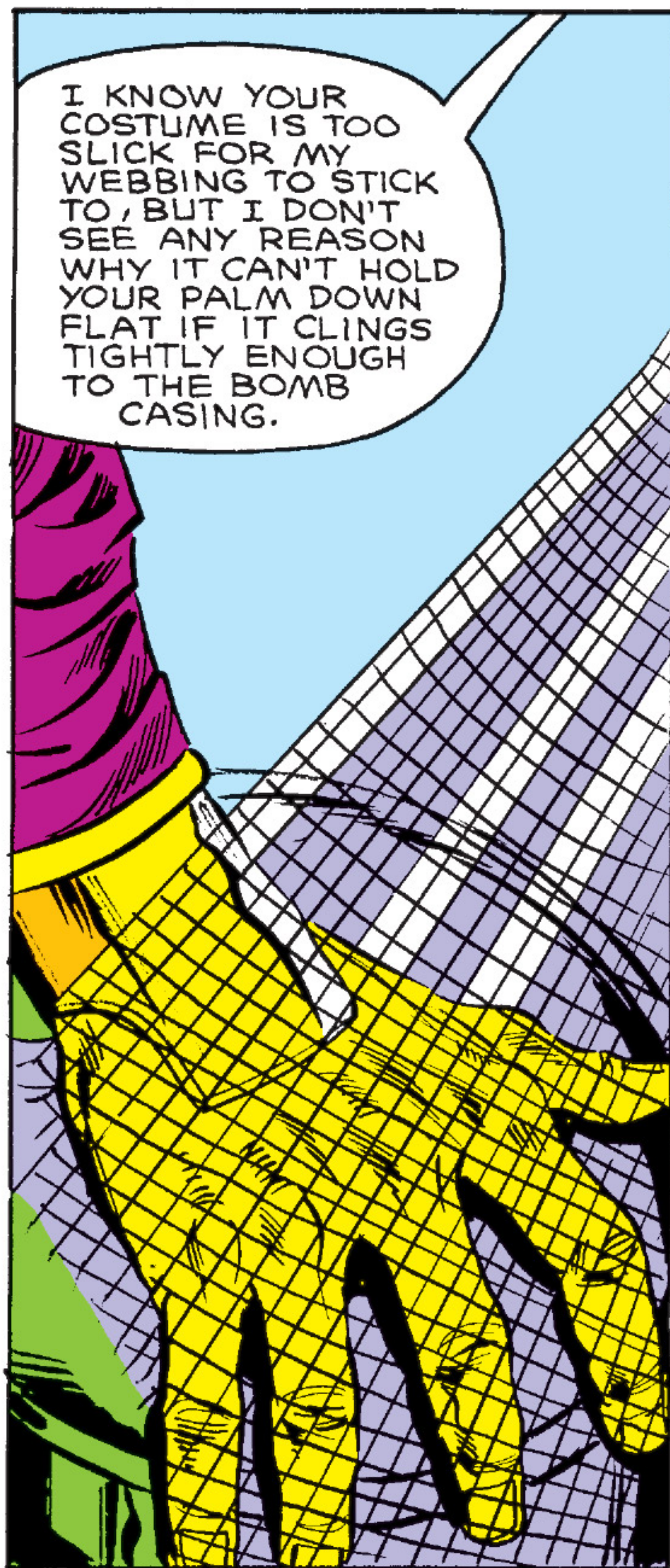


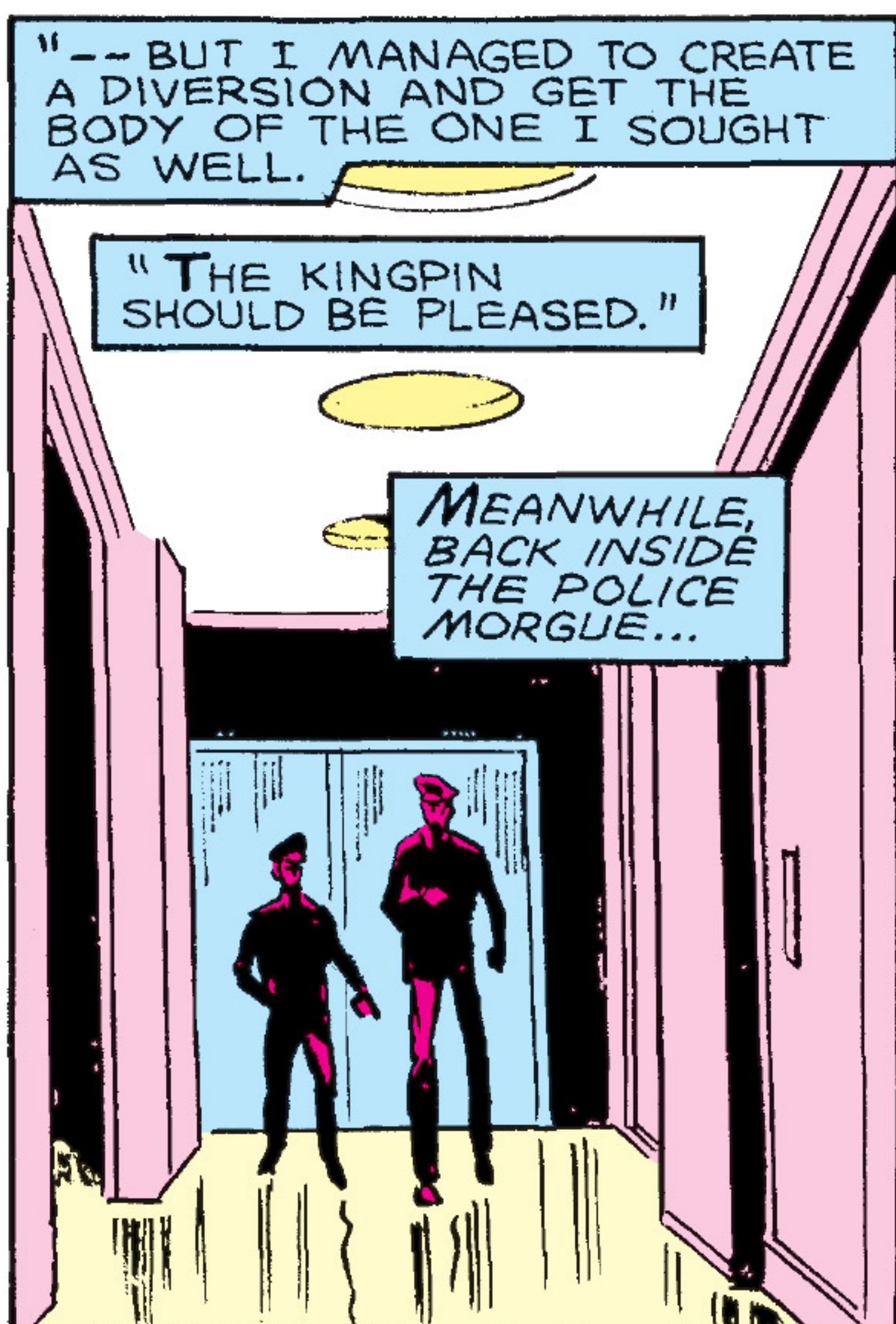
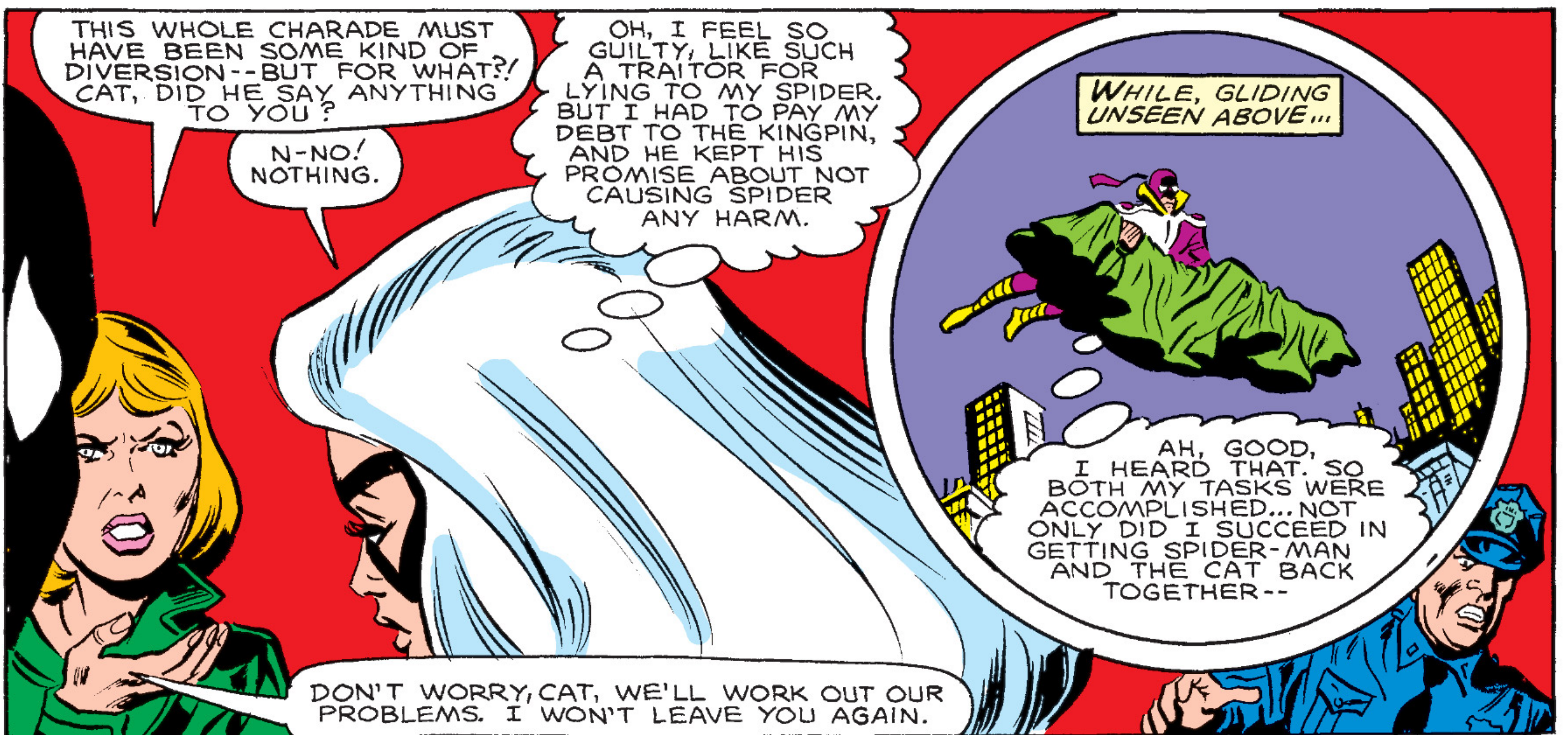
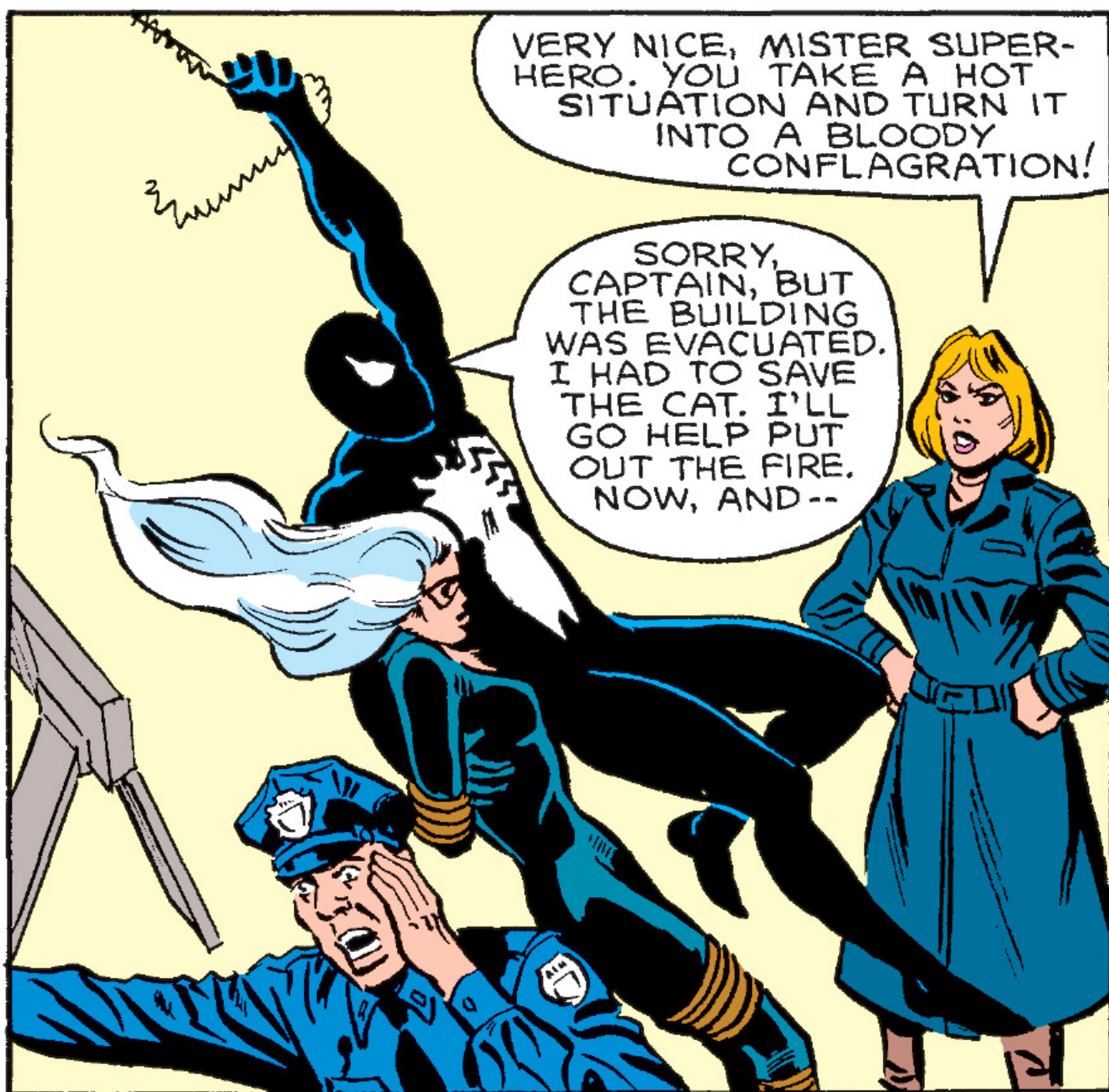
NO TIME FOR PLEASANTRIES NOW, MAN. THE BLACK CAT'S IN DANGER!

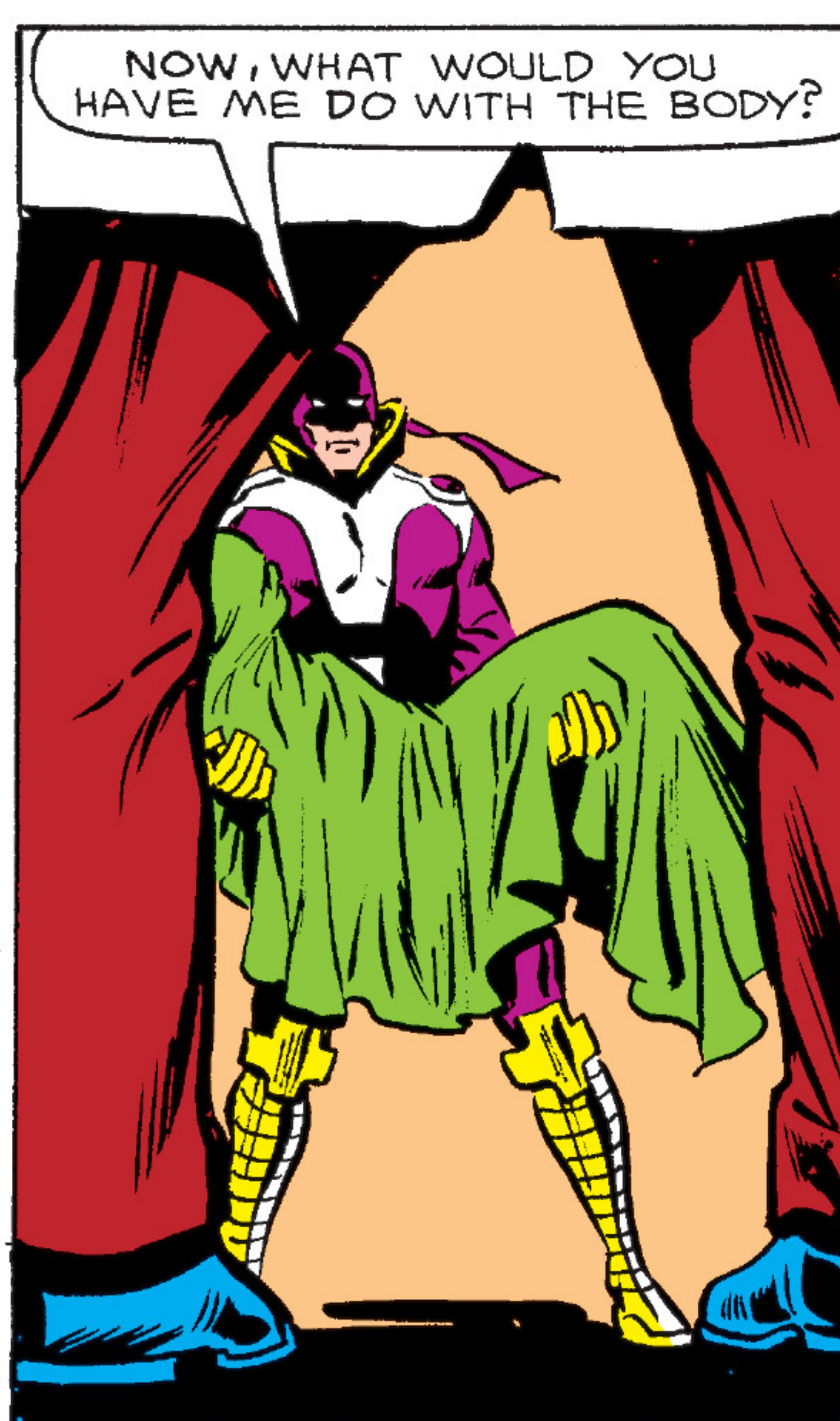
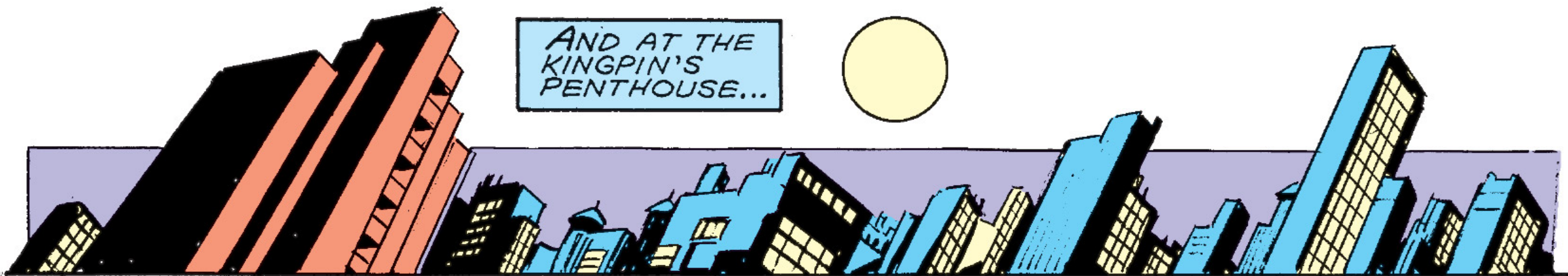
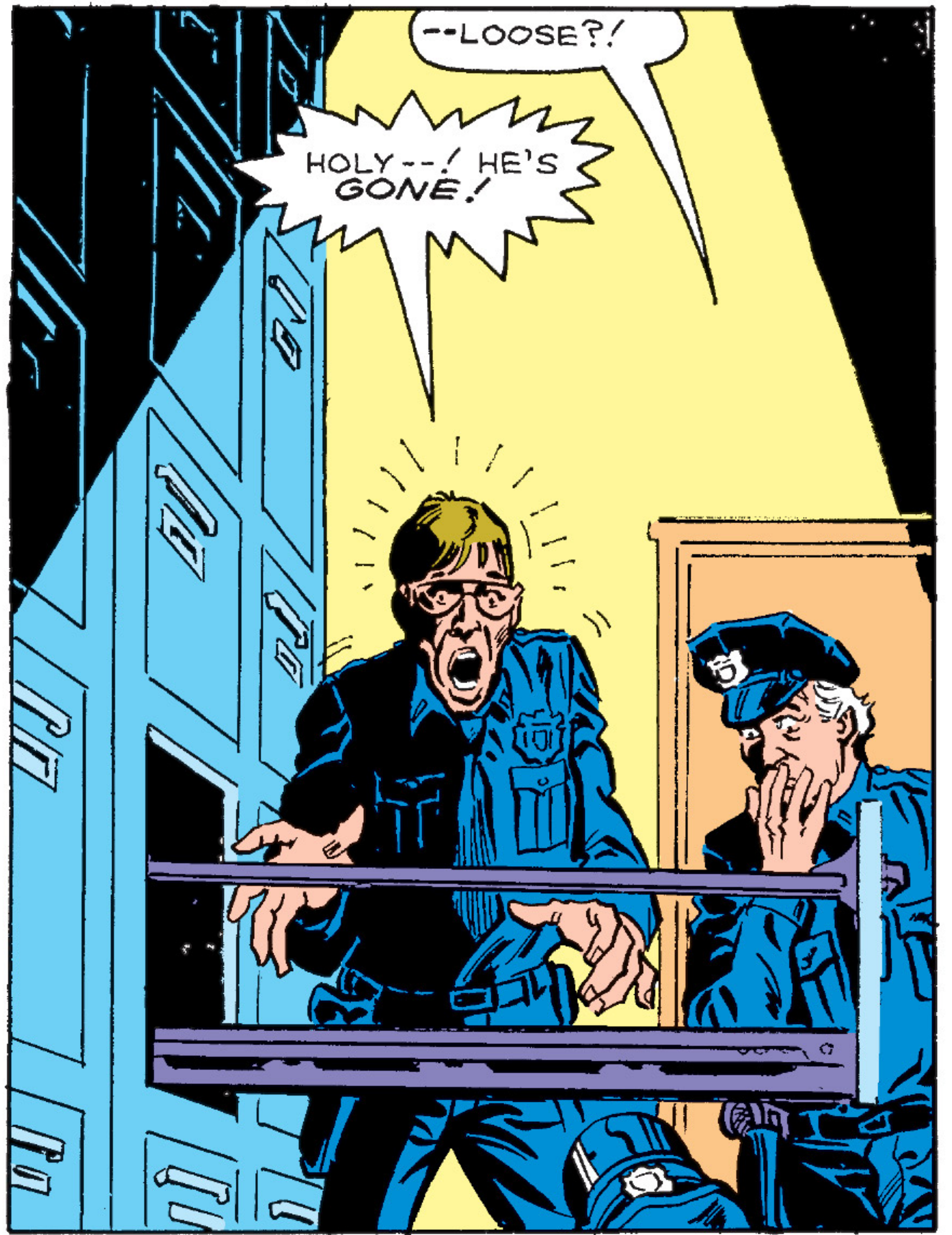
WHAT?

SHE'S BEING HELD HOSTAGE ON THE ROOF OF THE POLICE MORGUE ON WEST 23rd STREET. SOME COSTUMED NUTCASE WITH A BOMB.









NEXT: **CLOAK & DAGGER** ...AND THE MYSTERY CORPSE!